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Weather Forecast. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5 .- For Southern California: Fair Wednesday; warmer near Fresno; light north-

FEASIBLE AND NECESSARY. Pacific Cable Conferees Will Make a

Favorable Report. LONDON, Jan. 5.-(By Atlantic Ca ble.) The Pacific cable conference will meet within a fortnight to sign the report already agreed upon. It is semi-officially stated the report unanimously recommends that the cable be built, as it is practically feasible and commercially and politically necessary.

There is some difference of opinion regarding the relative share of ex-pense to be borne by Great Britain and the colonies concerned, but the dele-gates agreed finally to recommend that less be paid by Great Britain and more by the colonies than was originally considered necessary. The sum asked from Great Britain is understood to be considered financially feasible by Sec-retary Chamberlain.

Will Be No Wedding. Will Be No Wedding.

PORTLAND (Or.,) Jan. 5.—Determined to keep his marriage engagement, whether he had a penny or not. Charles Sawtelle started from Spokane on Monday to beat his way to Portland. While riding a brakebeam on a freight train he fell beneath the wheels of the cars and was cut to pieces before the trainmen were aware of the accident.

THEY FELL TOGETHER. Hanging of Two Murderers in the Norfolk Jail-yard.

Norfolk Jail-yard.

NORFOLK (Va.,) Jan. 5.—William

Downing and Charles Williamson were
hanged this morning in the jail yard.

They fell together at one pull of the
rope, and died without a struggle.

Williamson, last April, in a drunken
quarrel on board a schooner, split open
the head of his friend, Charles Bess.

Downing shot at a man, but missed
his mark and fatally shot Emma Lane,
colored.

Going for Tollgate Raiders. Going for Tollgate Raiders.

LEXINGTON (Ky..) Jan. 5.—On orders received from the Governor, Co..

L of the State Guards left at 9:30 o'clock on a special train for Meyer county, where, it is reported, a mob of tollgate raiders, 200 strong, are planning to make a clean sweep of the objectionable obstructions with the next twenty-four hours. Harrodsburg is the county seat.

ROME, Jan. 5.—The Pope is pro-nounced to be well again after the slight in:isposition resulting from the exertions attendant upon his Christmas and New Year's receptions, and will resume his cuttes tomorrow.

Death Penalty Restricted by Congress.

Capital Punishment Due in Only Five Offenses.

Newspaper Privileges Assailed by Mr. Loud's Bill.

over the Proposal to Amend the in Relation to Second-class Matter-Cuban Resolutions

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The Senate today passed the House bill abolishing the death penalty in a large number of cases. The measure is in the line of recent State laws abolishing capital punishment, and applies the same principle to Federal offenses, although the change is not extended to a total abolition of the death penalty. The present laws, which have come down from laws, which have come down from colonial times, have a sangularry aspect, and prescribe death for offenses of various characters. The bill passed today reduces the offenses to five, viz.: Treason, rape, murder and two of-fenses applicable to the army and navy. In all other offenses hard labor for life is substituted as the maximum

for life is substituted as the maximum punishment, and even in cases of murder and rape, hard labor may be substituted if the jury states in its verdict. "without capital punishment."

As the bill has passed the House after a long crusade by Representative Curtis of New York, and is amended but slightly by the Senate, it is likely to go to the President when the minor disagreements are arranged in conference. During the day Mr. Call of Florida (Dem.) introduced resolutions calling

for information as to the condemnation of Julio Sanguilly at Havana to life imprisonment, and also directing the Secretary of State to demand San-guilly's immediate release. Mr. Peffer of Kansas (Pop.) deliv-

ered a speech in support of his resolu-tion for a national monetary commis-

tion for a national monetary commission.

The House entered upon its work immediately after reassembling today by taking up the Loud bill to amend the laws relating to second-class mail matter. The whole day was devoted to general debate on the measure under a special order, which will bring the bill to a vote tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mr. Loud of California, the author of the bill, is its champion on the floor, and Mr. Quigg of New York has charge of the opposition.

Those who took part in the debate today were: Messrs. Kyle of Mississippi (Dem.,) Burton of Ohio (Rep.,) Bromwell of Ohio (Rep.,) and Ogden of Louisiana (Dem.,) in favor of the bill, and Messrs. Quigg of New York (Rep.,) Johnson of California (Rep.,) and Cummings of New York (Dem.,) against it.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON Jan 5 -- SENATE -The Senate reassembled at noon today, the attendance being somewhat mea-gre. Among the bills introduced was one by Senator Peffer of Kansas "to

improve the banking business," and one by Senator Shoup of Idaho as to allen ownership of lands in the Terri-The first reference to Cuba was in two resolutions offered by Senator Call of Florida. The first requests the Pres-ident to send to the Senate, in secret or open session, as he may deem best.

or Fiorida. The first requests the President to send to the Senate, in secret or open session, as he may deem best, all reports relating to condemnation to life imprisonment in chains by the Spanish authorities at Havana of Sanguilly, an American citizen. The second recites the circumstances of Sanguilly, trial and condemnation, and directs the Secretary of State to "demand his immediate release." The resolutions went over, Senator Call stating that he would speak on them.

Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota offered a resolution, which was agreed to, asking the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the Beringsea seal fisheries, particularly as to why only \$1000 was yielded to the government in 1886 for the privilege of taking 630,000 seal skins.

Senator Peffer then addressed the Senate on his resolution for a commission of five Senators to investigate the entire monetary subject and report within a year. Senator Peffer's speech dealt largely with the heterogenous character of our various kinds of money, and the uncertainties of the present financial system. At the close of his speech his resolution was referred to the Finance Committee.

A message from the President was received, transmitting the report of the Secretary of State concerning the death of Charles Goving in Cuba.

The bill providing for free homesteads in Oklahoma for bona fide settlers, which has the right-of-way as "unfinished business," was laid aside until tomorrow.

Senator Hoar then called up the bill ittororrow.

Senator Hoar then called up the bill "to reduce the cases in which the pen-alty of death be inflicted." After brief discussion the bill was passed as re-Senator Proctor of Vermont gave no

ported.

Senator Proctor of Vermont gave notice that he would speak next Monday on his resolution extending the Presidential term to six years and fixing the term of members of the House of Representatives at three years.

At 2:25 o'clock the Senate aajourned. HOUSE.—There was a lair attendance in the House when it reassembled today after the hollday recess. The following resolution was adopted on motion of Mr. Broderick of Kansas:

"Whereas, there are large and valuable tracts of lands in Kansas. embraced in the grant to the Union Pacific Railroad, to which patents have not yet been issued, and whereas most of these lands have been sold by said company to said purchasers, who are in possession, and who have made lasting and valuable improvements thereon, and whereas the land office at Topeka has allowed and is allowing homestead entires to be made upon these lands without apparent legal authority; therefore,

"Resolved, that the Secretary of the Interior be directed to report to the House the cause of omlasion to issue

patents to said lands, and the authority under which the land office pretends to act in permitting these entries to be made. Then, under a special order adopted before recess, the House went into the county of the consider the Loud bill to amend the laws relating to second-class mail matter. This bill amends the present law in several particulars, the principal ones of which deny newspapers "sample-copy privileges," and deny to books sent through the mails as serials, newspaper pound rates. Under the order the debate will close tomorrow.

It was arranged that Mr. Loud of California and Mr. Quigg of New York should control the time for and against the measure. Mr. Loud having already made the opening argument, Mr. Quige discreterized to bill as revulcionary and, if passed, would inflict a blow on every occupation engaged in printing and publishing books and newspapers, and in the distribution of the same.

Mr. Quigg directed his argument chiefly against the provisions of the bill will be the provisions of the bill will be the provisions of the bill will be the provisions of the bill distribution of because of the proximate the saving to the government involved in the bill. The friends of the bill claimed it would effect a saving of \$5,000.000 and upward, while ex-Postmaster-Generals who had studied the abuses of the present law, and each of whom had recommended some measure for their correction.

Mr. Johnson of California (Rep.) made a characteristic speech in opposition to the bill, ridiculing Mr. Loud's statement that the bill would effect a saving of \$40,000,000 annually, and scoring the arguments of other advocates of the measure. The cheap distribution of the English classics, he said, would get them. He did not care, he said, if it did cost \$185\$ to send a letter to Alaska. If there was an American clitizen in Alaska the government should be run within its income, and that its passage would be in the interest of public morality.

Mr. Goglen of Louisiana (Dem.) favored the bill.

Mr. Bronwell of tho (Rep.),

HARRISON'S PLAN.

Committee to Arrange a Settle ment with the Railronds.
(RY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.-Representa tive Harrison of Alabama, who is a member of the Committe on Pacific Railroads, contemplates offering a pub-stitute for the Powers Bill when the vote is taken in the House, which will provide for a committee to represent the government's interests and arrange any settlement with the Pacific roads which it deems practicable, subject to the approval of the President.

This is substantially the plan suggested by President Harrison and by the Commissioner of Railroads. Mr. Harrison does not approve of the Powers Bill, and is equally opposed to the

BAILBOAD BONDS WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Replying to a resolution, the Secretary of the Treasury sent to the House a circular

of the department giving certain information as to the Pacific Railroad bonds, which he proposes to sell. In transmitting the circular the secretary says the bonds were offered for sale in order to comply with the requirements of the act of 1878 and that the disposition of the proceeds of their sale will be made according to the provisions of this law.

He says that the first-mortgage bonds heretofore have been held in the sinking fund of the Central Pacific Railroad. He also states that the guaranteed price was made by J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York, and that the bonds were sold in three parcels for \$282.15 or more than the research. of the department giving certain in-

bonds were sold in three parcels for \$2,882,315 or more than the guaranteed

AN EX-EDITOR'S CHARGE. Mr. Conn Must Stand Trial for Libe

at Washington.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The grand jury has returned an indictment for criminal libel against ex-Representative Charles G. Conn of Indiana, the former proprietor of the Washington Times. A bench warrant for his ar-

est has been issued.

The alleged libel charged that District Commissioner Truesdell had used his public office for his personal and his public office for his personal and private interest instead of the public good, and by means of his office and the public appropriations, had sought to benefit sections of the city in which he was a property-owner instead of devoting the funds to more populous sections. Mr. Conn is now in Indiana, but it is understood will return shortly and give answer to the indictment.

Attacks on Christians. LONDON, Jan. 5.—An Athens dispatch to the Times, reports there have been Musselman attacks on the Christians at the various places in the Isl and of Crete, two having been killed and others wounded.

Will Reorganize the Bank. Will Reorganise the Bank.

ST. PAUL (Minn..) Jan. 5.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Germania Bank, held today, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that a committee of seven stockholders, of which the president shall be ex-officia chairman, shall be appointed by him for the purpose of the purpose of the speedy reorganism measures for the speedy reorganism.

Perkins the Choice of the Caucus.

Sixty Republican Legislators Give Him Support.

Sixteen Democrats are Ready to Vote for Him.

he Situation Better Than the Senator's Manager Expected—Judge Waymire Excites Some Surprise. Proceedings of the Two Houses.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.-(Special Dispatch.) Sixty Republican Senators and Assemblymen were present at the caucus held this evening to nominate a United States Senator. George C. Perkins was unanimously nominated on the first ballot. Four members who had signed the call for a caucus, Pohlman, Keables, Arnerich and Malcom,

failed to put in an appearance. Perkins's friends are jubilant this evening, as they consider the battle won beyond dispute. All who were present at the caucus will, of course, vote for Senator Perkins next Tues day, and only one more vote is needed to elect. It is expected that the kickers will be eager to join the proces-sion now that Perkins's strength has been demonstrated. It is said that sixteen Democrats have signified their willingness to vote for Perkins, but his friends say he will be elected by Republican votes.

Some comment was excited by the ction of Judge Waymire in the caucus. He first moved a postponement of the caucus, but the motion was not seconded. He then said that the newspapers had made frequent reference to him as a Cabinet possibility, and he had been assured that the President would make a selection from California. He said that if he were the person selected, he should desire the indorsement of the Legislature. The caucus refused to take up anything

but the nomination of a Senator. Senator Simpson of Pasadena nomi-nated Perkins, Mr. Cross of Los Angeles seconded the nomination, followed by many others.

W. B. Hamilton, who has managed Senator Perkins's campaign with such signal success, said tonight to the Times correspondent:

"The situation is even better than I expected. I did not count on so large a country vote as we received, for the from any of those members. As to those who did not go into the caucus, it is no criterion that they will not vote for Perkins. Some of them, I know, are his warm friends. We are absolutely certain of the votes of all who were at the caucus tonight. It would be political suicide for them to

go back on their vote in caucus. Waymire asked for a postponement of the caucus by the request of the other side. I don't criticise his action. alternative of no legislation which might result in foreclosure of the roads and give government control, to which he is antagonistic.

I am not opposing him in any way, and if the Legislature indorses him for a Cabinet position I shall be glad to see it.

> "I think this has been one of the best fights ever made, and the Senator should be the proudest man in the should be the proudest man in the country to receive such an indorsement from the Legislature. Two years ago, when we elected him in this way, it was contended that the result accomplished then could not be repeated. We have done twice as well.
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> "Moreover, the Senator has been virtually elected on the second day after the Legislature meets. Both houses were organized on the first day, which were organized on the first day, which respectively. A message was received from the Assembly stating that that body had organized and was ready for business.

were organized on the first day, which was most unusual. It was pretty good work, and all the credit is due

to elect Senator Perkins, as the Assemblymen at the caucus numbered thirty-seven, which is less than the majority in the lower house. If a joint ession were necessary, it would be held Wednesday, January 13.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

North of Alameda Wanted to Help Out Waymire.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.-George C.

Perkins was declared the unanimous oice of the joint Republican caucus tonight for United States Senator, re-ceiving sixty votes on the first ballot. To elect Perkins, only one more vote is required and his managers are certain of securing the coveted vote.

The caucus was held in the Supreme Court room, and twenty-three Senators and thirty-six Assemblymen went into the secret session. The Shortridge forces were all on the ground, and a forces were all on the ground, and a contingent of Perkins's friends came up from the bay on the evening train. Harbor Commissioner Dan T. Cole was among the number. There was quite a tug for the support of Judge Waymire, but the efforts of Shortridge, Rea. Trumbo and Kowalsky were not sufficiently strong to pull him away from Perkins. Waymire wanted a resolution indorsing him for a Cabinet from Perkins. Waymire wanted a resolution indorsing him for a Cabinet position passed by the caucus, but the request of his friends in this respect was not granted. When this became known to the lobby, a rumor went out

but Waymire stuck to his promise and voted for Perkins. Following is Senators-

Androus,

Boyce, Bulla,

Gillette,

Gleaves.

Clark,

Linder, Luchsinger Pedlar, Shine, Shippee, Simpson, Smith, Stratton," Trout, Voorhies, Withington.

Holloway Jones, Assemblymen— Kenyon, Austin, Belshaw. Leavitt. Breiling, Burnham, Lindenberger, North, of Alameda, Canavan, Chynoweth. North, of Yolo, of Placer, Price,

Cross, Cutter, Robinson, Sims, Soward, Stansell, Strain, Goodhue, Valentine, Guy, Harris, Vosburg. Waymire, Hill,

caucus, but he was unable to attend through illness. He sent his proxy and stated that if necessary he would go himself. Malcom and Arnerich of himself. Malcom and Arnerich of Santa Clara and Pohlman of San Fran-cisco, withdrew their names today. Senator Gleaves was elected chairman and Assemblyman Belshaw secretary of the caucus. Waymire moved to adjourn until tomorrow night, but there was no second. There was a howl, though, and the motion was declared out of order. Senator Simpson of Pasadena, placed Senator Perkins in nomination as the candidate of the caucus and the nomination was seconded by representatives from all parts of the All interests and all sections demanded the reëlection of Perkins, it was said by his adherents, and 59 votes and Sims's proxy were cast for him,

Assemblyman Sims had signed to

declaring him the unanimous nominee. Waymire, in voting, explained that there had been some differences be-tween him and Senator Perkins, but that he did not propose to permit them to break up a friendship of forty years. His remarks were greeted with ap-North of Alameda, sent a resolution

to the chairman which he desired read. He explained that it was an indorse-ment by the caucus of Waymire for a Cabinet position. Instantly a number of those present raised the cry that the resolution was out of order. It w not read and the caucus adjourned,

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

(THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.)
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—SENATE.-

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock this morning, and, after prayer by Rev. C. L. Miel, Senator Androus introduced the following joint resolution:
"Whereas, the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives is considering the preparation of a new tariff bill in which the principle of protection to American indusciple of protection to American indusciple of protection to American industries is to be fully recognized; and, whereas, the fruit interests of Califor-nia are vitally interested in receiving adequate protection from foreign competitors; therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Califernia, the Assembly therein concurring, that we instruct our Senators and urgently request our Representatives in Congress from this State that they use every means in their power to secure the incorporation in the new tariff law of such import duties on fruits as shall fully and com pletely protect the fruit interests of California from foreign competition, securing to California producers the control of the home market and a rea-Cabinet position I shall be glad to senable price for their products.

"Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to transmit to each Senate be directed to transmit to each of our Representatives in Congress and telegraph immediately to each of the Senators from the State a copy of these

ganized and was ready for business.

A resolution by Senator Mahoney that each Senator be allowed \$25 for contin-

work, and all the credit is due, or course, to the members, and especially to the South, which sent the most loyal, true and honest delegations that ever came to the capital."

Mr. Hamilton said it would probably require a joint session of both houses to elect Senator De allowed \$25 for continguals. Private Secretary McCabe presented the Governor's annual message, which are some continuous and the special order of business for tomorrow morning, immediately after the reading of the journal.

The Senate then adjourned until 10 colock tomorrow morning. o'clock tomorrow morning.
ASSEMBLY. — The Assembly was called to order this morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Sanford of Mendocino in-

troduced the following resolution, which was adopted two years ago: troduced the following resolution, which was adopted two years ago: "Whereas, we recognize the fact that by the demonetization of silver, by refusal to give it an equal standing in the coinage system of the United States, the material interest of the nation is dangerously impaired; and, whereas, it is recognized to be a fact that the opposition to silver coinage emanates from speculative syndicates and moneyed classes who seek to embarrass the people of the nation for the advancement of their own selfish ends; and, whereas, we entertain the firm belief that the full measure of national prosperity will never be restored until the coinage of silver is resumed in accordance with the true intent and spirit of the Constitution of the United States, and, having unbounded faith in the power and ability of this nation to restore and maintain silver in its proper position alongside of gold; and whereas, we believe that the issue of United States bonds for the purpose of maintaining a single gold standard or any standard that does not contemplate the free and unlimited coinage of United States bonds for the purpose of maintaining a single gold standard or any standard that does not contemplate the free and unlimited coinage of silver, is a practice fraught with the greatest danger to the stability of our institutions, and the maintenance of national credit, therefore, be it "Resolved, that our Senators in Congress be instructed and our Representatives be requested to earnestly and urgently advocate the advancement of such laws as may be necessary to provide for the immediate resumption of the free and unlimited coinage

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Spain Annoyed by the Cuban Fiasco.

Sagasta Declares a Readiness to Grant Reforms.

Weyler Called Upon to Inquire into Crookedness.

President-elect McKinley Has a Call from One of the Junta-Consul-General Lee and Mr. Money. The Lost Commodore.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

LONDON, Jan. 6. - (By Atlantic Cable.) The Daily News's Paris corespondent says that rumors continue of an impending crisis in Spain. Sefor Sagasta, in an interview, repeats his readiness to accept office and give gen-

erous reforms to the colonies. This correspondent says also that the Spanish government has cabled to Capt.-Gen. Weyler the charges published by the Imparcial and other newspapers, and has asked him to make a strict inquiry as to maladministration of the department under his charge

DIDN'T FIND HER.

The Three Friends Returns from Search for the Commodore. (EY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) Jan. 5.-Th from a fruitless search for survivors of the wrecked filibuster Commodore. It was thought that the seven men left on the raft might still be floating about, but a diligent search revealed no evidence of them. A few bits of wreckage were picked ug, all that remained of the vessel. The cruiser Newark accompanied the Three Friends and kept its searchlight almost constantly on the little steamer for fear that it might escape.

So soon as the Three Friends returned to port this morning it was libeled for the third time within a year, charged with having been engaged in a filibustering expedition. While the information in the previous cases has been more or less indefinite, the present case charges specifically several persons with having engaged in the expedition. from a fruitless search for survivors

ANDALUSIA SENTIMENT.

Hostile to the United States Only Because of Filibustering. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.-A dispatch to the Herald from Malaga, Spain. says the sentiment of that part of Anda-lusia is best expressed by the words of Señor Antonio Canovas y Vallejo, the civil Governor of the province of Ma-laga, and nephew of Premier Canovas del Castillo

laga, and nepnew of Fremer Canovas del Castillo.

"Thinking people of Spain." said he, "have only a friendly feeling for Americans, but the revolution in Cuba must be put down before any overture looking toward a settlement of the trouble can be received from the United States. Only after a decided victory in Cuba would these advances be received."

"Why do the Spanish people feel disinclined to let the United States interfere?" was asked.

"Because the United States has been the fountain head for all the supplies of the filibusters. If the United States government will stop all these expeditions and put down the junta which manages Cuban affairs in New York and Washington, the Spanish government will then consider that your country is friendly. I am sorry to see your papers constantly inciting the

your papers constantly inciting the people to aid the Cubans. The United States should rather help us to put

people to ald the Cubans. The United States should rather help us to put down the rebellion."

"Is there any hostility here to Americans who have made their home in Spain?"

"None whatever among the better classes, and the government at Madrid is ready to protect them at all hazards. I could show you telegrams from Madrid, which I have in my desk instructing me to expose my life, if necessary, in defending the American Consul. These instructions were sent to all the Governors. I walked on the streets with David N. Burke, the American Consul, when the people here became excited last year, and ordered any one who should assault him to be shot on the spot."

Spain's penal colony in Africa is about opposite Malaga, across the Mediterranean. About twenty prisoners were brought here yesterday for transportation, having been shipped from Cuba to Cadiz. People gathered along the quay by thousands, and lined the streets as the Cubans were led to the boats. There was no hooting, no rabble demonstrations, and its seemed as if the Spanlards really pitted them.

Walter Bevan, an American mer-

walter Bevan, an American merchant who was a most extensive shipper of fruit from this port, was asked if he thought the Spanish people would respond again as readily as before if another loan were asked. "Certainly I do," was Bevan's reply. "The Spanish people have learned to become very self-reliant since the trouble with Cuba has developed their natural resources so wonderfully. I find them very courteous. Business has been better during the past year than for some time because of the fruit crop. Malaga's business with Cuba was better because of the large number of troops there to be supplied. Since the jingo talk in the United States. Spaniards have determined to send all needed supplies from Spain, and to buy nothing in America."

No Injury. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

Lee, the United States Consul-General, having notified the editor of La Lucha, Señor Arrostegul, that Senator-elect H. D. Money of Mississippi, who was missing from his headquarters here, the Hotel Ingletera, arousing adverse newspaper comment, desired to make a statement on the subject. Mr. Money informed Señor Arrostegul that he has no connection with the Cuban Lee, the United States Consul-Ge

ta in New York, and that , he

of that body.

e added that his voyage was uncrtaken solely as a vacation while Congress was not in session, and in corder to enjoy the mild climate of Cuba while personally inquiring, so fat as the law of the country permitted into the true situation existing here in order that when necessary he may be able-to express himself clearly on the subject in the United States Sentendents.

the subject in the United States Seatate.

Mr. Money added that on Saturday afternoon while talking at the United States Consulate with a friend, the latter insisted that he should go with him to San José de los Lagas, in this province, and he accepted. They immediately took an omalibus which was going there, and returned yesterday after having greatly enjoyed the trip and beautiful scenery.

seautiful scenery.

Mr. Money also asserted that he did
not leave San José de los Lagas while
tway from this city, and says he did
not see any insurgents on the road,
nut only noticed many Spanish sol-

Mr. Money leaves Havana tomorrow r Washington.

A TALK WITH MCKINLEY.

One of the Junta Calls on the Presi-

dent-elect.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) CLEVELAND (O.,) Jan. 5.—It developed today that Señor F. G. Pierra of the Cuban junta had a conference with President-elect McKinley at the home of M. A. Hanna Sunday, at which the entire Cuban situation was thoroughly canvassed. Maj. McKinley did not indicate what use he would make of the information, nor what stand he would take when his time should come. It is understood, however, that he will treat the Cuban difficulties at some length in his message to the extra session of

Congress.

Maj. McKinley, when seen today, conreming the matter, said: "Yes, Señor Pierra called upon me here and we had a very pleasant chat. He explained at some length the claims of the friends of the insurgents with regard to the war there. No, there is nothing further I can say regarding the call."

Successful Landing Effected by the Expedition on the Dauntless.

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) Jan. 5.—A dispatch from Key West states that the Dauntless successfully landed its expedition in Cuba. The expedition, it is said, is the one the Three Friends attempted to land when pursued by a Spanish gunboat and left at No Name Key, from which place it was taken last Friday by the Dauntless.

GOMEZ CROSSES THE LINE. MADRID, Jan. 5.—A private tele-grom from Havana says Maximo Ge-nez, the insurgent leader, has crossed the military line of Puerto Principe. SHERMAN WON'T GO.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—There is no truth in the report that Senator Sher-man, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, intends to visit Cuba STEPHEN CRANE'S TELEGRAM ALTANTA (Ga.,) Jan. 5 .- In response

ALTANTA (Ga., Jan. 5.—In response to a teigram from the Atlanta Journal, Stephen Crane telegraphed that paper from Jacksonville as follows: "Seven of the Commodore's men are unaccounted for. This ship was probably not scuttled. I will stay in Jacksonville until another expedition starts for Cuba."

DELGADO'S ABSCESS LANCED. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Mail and Express today received the following dispatch from Consul-General Lee at Havana: "Received your telegram following a dispatch from the State Department at Washington on yesterday. Delgado is confined in a spacious, wellpartment at Washington on yesterday, Delgado is confined in a spacious, well-ventilated ward in San Ambrosia Hospital with twenty or thirty other prisoners. Under the circumstances he is comfortable as possible for him to be. The abscess which caused his illness ahs been lanced, and his recovery is possible. He has no appetite and is very weak. His pulse was better yesterday. I will watch the case closely."

HALE ON RECOGNITION. MR. HALE ON RECOGNITION.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — Senator
Hale today presented to the Senate a
memorandum on the recognition of foreign governments and foreign states
by the government of the United States
from 1879 to 1897. Assuming that the
recognition of the Spanish-American
republics by the United States and
England my be taken as typical, the
conclusions resched are

conclusions reached are.

First—Definite independence cannot be held to be established and recogtion is consequently not legitimate long as a substantial struggle is be-g maintained by the formerly sov-eign State, for the recovery of his

Second—A mere pretension on the part of the formerly sovereign State, or a struggle so inadequate as to offer no reasonable ground for supposing that success may ultimately be ob-tained, is not enough to keep alive the rights of the State and to prevnt foreign countries from falling under an obligation to recognize as a State the community claiming to have become

SURPRISED AND ROUTED,

Spanish Troops Put Four Thousand

Philippine Islanders to Flight. MADRID, Jan. 5.—(By Atlantic Cable.) A dispatch from Manila, Philippine Islands, says that 4000 insurgents were surprised and routed by Spanish troops at Agouy and Olmansas.

EARL RUSSELL'S SUIT.

A Harvard Professor of Meral Philosophy Gives Testimony

Philosophy Gives Testimony.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—(By Atlantic Cable.) At the Central Criminal Court this morning, the trial of Lady Selina Scott, mother-in-law of Eari Russell, charged by the latter with libel in connection with John Cöckerton, an engineer, and William Aylot, continued. George Santavana, professor of moral philosophy in Harvard! University, testified that he met Earl Russell at Harvard in 1886 and June. 1887, the time of the alleged impropriety, and visited Winchester at the invitation of His Lordship.

His Lordship.

The professor said they joined Earl Russell's yacht on the Rhine in 1888 and went to Paris together. During the whole voyage he occupied the same cabin as Earl Russell and never heard of or say any time. of or saw any impropriety or familiar ity between His Lordship and the crew On cross-examination Prof. Santavana said he was never requested to testify, but last September, when the case was mentioned, he told Earl Russell he would testify.

Another Bank Official's Suicide. PITTSBURGH, (Pa.,) Jan. 5.—Chris Schauer, Jr., treasurer of the National Rank for Savings, committed suicide last night. The body was discovered night. The body was discovered morning dangling from the rafters he closet of the Allegheny Gymnaa. The president of the bank says sium. The president of the Schauer's accounts are straight. Scaauer has not been in good health, and was very morose.

OMAHA, Jan. 5.—A passenger train on the Burlington jumped a trestle en-tering the city this morning. Five peotering the city this morning. Five people were injured, one fatally. The injured are: John Suries, Conductor Robert Adkins of Henderson, Iowa, fatally; John W. Lambk, messenger; Miss May Paul of Henderson, Curtis Curdan, brakeman. COAST RECORDS

OUTLET FROM PRISON

WHAT THE INMATES OF YUMA PENITENTIARY SOUGHT.

Daring Plan of Wholesale Escape is Discovered in the Onyx Shop of the Institution.

A TUNNEL OVER FORTY FEET.

ONLY ONE ROCK REMAINED TO BAR THE WAY OUT.

Attempted Murder at Sacramento The Valley Road's New Project. Board of Examiners' Expert Necessary.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)

YUMA (Ariz.,) Jan. 5 .- (Special Dispatch.) Arizona's penitentiary has been receiving a great deal of attention lately as the most peaceful establish-ment of the kind in the United States. where the inmates would rather stay than be thrust out into the cruel world and forced to earn a living, but sh can now refute the charge, for the au thorities at the place last night covered the existence of the most daring plan for wholesale escape that has been attempted anywhere for years. The evidence of the existence of such

a plan was found in the shape of a tunnel over forty feet long, starting in the onyx shop, where the convicts manu-facture onyx canes, ink stands, paper weights and other ornaments. weights and other ornaments. Every ideal was seemingly perfected, and all that stood between those engaged in the undertaking and liberty was the one remaining rock left at the end of the tunnel which communicated with freedom and the necessity of waiting

The tunnel was started inside a large ox in the onyx house which was used for storing pieces of the rock. A convict locked inside the box began the work by digging a hole straight down until he could stand in it above his waist, when the tunnel proper was headed for the north wall of the prison enclosure. The digging for thirty feet

was through "blue dirt."

When the wall was struck, it was necessary to penetrate eight feet of solid rock and the amount of work necessary to the accomplishment of the undertaking must have been something enormous. But ahead was freedom— such freedom as there is for a fugitive from justice, while behind there was years of confinement, of exclusion from the outside world, and this thought

urged the workers on. When the tunnel was discovered, all was in readiness for the departure of the convicts. If the leaders in the affair are detected, their daring attempt

will only result in their residence in the "snake den" for a term. The favorite theory of the prison authorities regarding the details in the proposed escape are about as follows: The cellhouse, which stands to the The cellhouse, which stands to the south and is sepärated from the onxy shop where the tunnel started by the dining hall, contains but one guard at night. This guard, when a certain signal meaning "sick," is tapped in the inside of a cell, enters to ascertain what is the matter. When a favorable time for the carrying out of the plan had arrived one of the convicts had arrived, one of the convicts would have given the "sick" signal, and when the guard entered the cell he would have been overpowered or knocked senseless or mayhap killed.

With his keys every cell in the house would have been opened and the con-victs liberated. From there they could have gone through the corridor in the dining-room and out through a window in the west end, concealed from the eyes of the guard by some trees. The distance is short from the dining fall to the onyx-house, and by stealthily gliding across in the shadow the criminals would probably not have been

seen by the guards.

Into the onxy shop, down into the box concealing the mouth of the tunnel and out at the other end, outside the prison walls, would have consumed but a few minutes, and from there on all would have been clear sailing, as the point where the tunnel emerged from the ground was admirably selected, and could not be seen from any of the guard-houses on the walls of the en-

Once outside, the escaped convicts would have skirted the north wall, keeping close in the shadows, and made direct for Yuma, where doubt-less numerous depredations would have been committed preparatory to the scattering of the crimmals in all

directions. The surrounding country is of such a nature as to preclude much chance of escape, so that likely a great many would have been recaptured, but in the meantime the residents of the territory surrounding Yuma would have subjected to a veritable reign of terror, as, numbered among those who are thought to have been ringleaders in the bold attempt for freedom, are some of the most desperate criminals that have ever been confined within the

walls of Arizona's penitentiary. The place now contains the lar number of convicts it has ever held one time, and they are continually vising schemes to escape, so that the utmost vigilance is necessary on the part of the authorities, which will be augmented by the discovery of this last and deepest plot of all.

A DISRUPTED TRUST.

The Central Lumber Company California is No More. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SEATTLE, Jan. 5.-The Central Lum ber Company of California, the most stupendous trust ever organized on the Pacific Coast, is a thing of the past, No such combine was ever effected for the control of a market on the Coast as it controlled every cargo mill on the Coast but three. Its projectors confidently believing that the demand condently believing that the demand in 1896 would exceed that of 1895, thought that price-cutting would be impossible. But the demand did not come up to expectations, the proportion of supply and demand being four instead of three to one, as compared with eighteen months ago.

The anticipation of enhanced values prior to the formation of the compared with eight of the compared with eight or the formation of the compared with eight of the compared wi

The anticipation of enhanced values prior to the formation of the company, furthermore, caused the piling up of great stocks of lumber in San Francisco and other California distributing points at lower prices. Few purchased lumber from the mills, but many sought the small trade in the endeavor to get rid of the stock in the yards. Then the dealers and members of the Central Lumber Company

clashed, and the breach was never healed. The first struggle for supremacy, due to small margins, large stocks and small demand, took place in Los Angeles, and the Central Lumber Company suffered defeat. Today lumber is selling at barely cost in San Francisco.

UNITED STATES SENATOR.

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the Democrats and free-silver Republicans of the Senate.

ORGANIZED A RUMP.

DOVER (Del.,) Jan. 5.—The Democrats organized both houses here to-day. In the Senate they seated Sam-Prancisco.

francisco.

During this period the mill men in Washington, Oregon and British Columbia could not understand why orders were not coming in, and why their divdends were so small. At the same time one mill in British Columbia, four in Washington and four in Oregon, not members of the company, started into the cargo trade and cut the price from \$2\$ to 50 cents per 1000 feet. While they were running over time, the Central Lumber Company's mills were idle or running only part time. The smaller mill men being compelled to operate their plants in order to meet obligations, finally broke their agreements with the company.

A NCESSARY ADJUNCT.

The Board of Examiners Entitled to

BOARD OF Examiners Entitled to an Expert.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—The Supreme Court today decided that an expert to the Board of Examiners was a necessary official, in that he should be paid from the appropriation made. a necessary official, in that he should be paid from the appropriation made by the Legislature.

At the session of 1894-95 the Legis-

at the session of 1984-90 the Legis-lature made an appropriation of \$2000 a year for an expert for the Board of Examiners, but at the same session a bill creating the office falled to pass. The examiners, deeming an expert necessary, appointed Thomas A. Lewis of Los Angeles to the position and in of Los Angeles to the position, and in July, 1895, audited his first month's sal-

July, 1895, audited his first month's salary demand.

Edward P. Colgan, State Controller, refused to draw a warrant for the amount, holding that the Legislature had not created the office of expert of the Board of Examiners, and that he could not draw a warrant on the fund set aside by the Legislature for salary. A petition for writ of mandate was filed in the Superior Court of Sacramento county, and the court gave judgment for the petitioner. The Controller appealed to the Supreme Court, and the commissioners rendered an opinion reversing the lower court. The court granted a rehearing, and today, in bank, affirmed the decision of the Superior Court.

WANTED TO SLAY.

Young Farmer Prevented from Killing His Sister SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5 .- At 1 o'clock this afternoon there was a thrilling scene in the postoffice, when P. J. Hulsman, a wealthy young farmer who lives near Folsom, attempted to mur-der Mrs. W. T. Krigbaum, his sister, She had married against the wishes of the family and ever since the cer-mony there has been much quarreling. Hon. Patrick Reddy of San Fran-Hon. Patrick Reddy of San Francisco was passing the postoffice and ran into the building and caught Hulsman aiming a pistoi at his sister, whom he knocked to the foor. Reddy has but one hand, but with that hand he grabbed the pistol, the hammer badly lacerating the lawyer's thumb. Hulsman managed to get the pistol away and attempted to shoot Reddy, but the lawyer rushed upon him, disarmed him and turned him over to the police. armed him and turned the police.
Hulsman was this afternoon released from custody upon \$1000 bond.

POINTING OAKLANDWARD, The Valley Road's Engineers Making

a New Survey.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) (BY ASSOCIATED PHESS WIRE.)

OAKLAND, Jan. 5.—It was given out today that the Bakersfield branch of the San Joaquin Valley Raliroad would be completed within a short time, and that then the company would turn its attention Oaklandward. Official information is withheld in the matter, but there is every reason to believe that Oakland will son be therminus of another raliroad. Information to this effect comes in a roundabout way, and caused a ripple of exmation to this effect comes in a round-about way, and caused a ripple of ex-citement here. Civil engineers are here looking over the ground and fig-uring upon a route through the city. There is also talk of another line through from Oakland to Stockton. The Corral Hollow line, it is said, it to be thus extended. This will bring coal direct to tide water. Work, it is un-derstood, is to commence during the year.

Stole a Looking-glass.

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SANTA ROSA, Jan. 5.—Judge Burnett this morning sentenced Clinton Rickliff to two years' imprisonment at Folsom on a charge of larceny. Rickliff pleaded guilty to stealing a looking-glass from a drug store here. This and prior convictions made the offense a felony. Rickliff is the son of one of the wealthiest citizens of Sonoma county, and for a number of years has been addicted to the use of oplum. It is claimed he stole the glass to get the money with which to procure the drug.

A Northwestern Millionaire Dend. A Northwestern Millionaire Dead.
PORTLAND (Or.,) Jan. 5.—C. H.
Lewis, one of the most widely-known
business men of the Northwest, died
this morning of paralysis at his home
in this city. He was stricken with
paralysis Saturday afternoon while on
his way to business. He was immediately taken to his home and given
all the assistance that medical skill
could provide, but gradually sank until his death occurred this morning.
His estate is valued at upward of \$2,000,000.

LIVERMORE, Jan. 5. — The State Farmers' Institute, which opens here on the 18th inst., will be one of the most important gatherings of its kind ever held. Very complete arrangements have been made by F. R. Fassett, and a programme of great importance has been prepared. The various subjects will be treated by men regarded as leaders in their particular localities on this Coast.

of newspaper pictures to

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5 .- The ex hibition of newspaper pictures to be held here has been postponed until late in February or early in March. Newspapers in all sections of the country have signified their intention of exhibiting, and the postponement is made in order to give them more time to prepare their work.

LICK OBSERVATORY, (via San José,) Jan. 5.—On photographing the sun this morning, Mr. Colton found a rge spot near the eastern limb which easily visible without telescopic aid. It is mostly penumbral, however, the nucleus being small. The extreme length of the spot is about sixty-eight

Mark Smith's Successor. PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Jan. 5.—Alfred Franklin, son of the Gov. B. J. Frank-lin, has been appointed assistant to United States Attorney Ellingwood, to succeed Congressman-elect Mark Smith, resigned.

PHOENIX (Ariz...) Jan. 5.—The City Council of Phoenix has passed an or-dinance making it a misdeamenor to spit, on any city sidewalk, and fixing a fine not exceeding \$10 for each of-

Thomas J. Shackelford Dead. mills, but in the en-ock in the ind mem company man bears of San Francisco, expired on a Visalia rail-road train this morning at \$ o'clock of heart disease.

UNITED STATES SENATOR.

The Philadelphian Gets More Than Half the Total Vote Cast by the Legislators.

WANAMAKER NEXT IN LINE

EX-POSTMASTER-GENERAL WILL KEEP UP HIS FIGHT.

ov. Smith's Message Read at the Montana Capital Amid Applause. The Idaho Senatorial Contest.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) HARRISBURG (Pa.,) Jan. 5.-Th HARRISBURG (Pa.,) Jan. 5.—The factional Republican contest for the succession to the seat in the United States Senate occupied by J. Donald Cameron, which has kept the people of the State in a fever heat for many weeks, was finally settled tonight in the joint party caucus of the Republican members of the Legislature, who chose State Senator Boise Penrose of Philadelphia as the man upon whom Philadelphia as the man upon whom the honor shall be bestowed. Of the 216 Republicans in the Legislature 211 were present and voting. Of these votes Penrose received 133, ex-Post-master-General John Wanamaker, 75; Benator Cameron, 1; Congressman John B. Robinson, 1, and Superior Court Judge Charles E. Rice of Wilkesbarre

I. Penrose received the support of Senator Quay, and his success is a great victory for that leader. Mr. Wanamaker was backed by the faction of which David Martin is the

faction of which David Martin is the leader, assisted by a strong organization of business men in nearly every county. Much bitterness was exhibited on both sides.

At a big meeting of his supporters, Mr. Wanamaker made a speech. In which he declared his intention of carrying the fight against Senator Quay into every county, and to contest with him the right to name the party candidates for State Treasurer and Auditor.

Senator Quay's term expires in March, 1899, and, according to Mr. Wanamaker's friends, the business men will continue their organization with the object of defeating Quay should he be a candidate for reflection. The Legislature will ratify the caucus selection of Mr. Penrose on January 8.

Bolse Penrose was elected to the State House of Representatives in 1885 and to the Senate a year later, and has been reflected since, being still a member of that body. Two years ago a member of that body. Two years ago Senator Penrose was a candidate for the office of Mayor of Philadelphia and was the apparent choice of the Republican ward "combine" headed by David Martin, Within twenty-four hours of the convention, however, he was dropped by that body and Charles F. Warwick, the present Mayor, chosen in his stead. This precipitated the bitter fight which has since been waged between Martin and Senator Quay, who has been Penrose's sponsor, and it was only a few days after the convention that Quay made his well-remembered speech on the floor of the United States Senate attacking Martin.

THE LEGISLATURE OPENS. THE LEGISLATURE OPENS.
HARRISBURG (Pa.,) Jan. 5.—The
112th session of the Pennsylvania
Legislature opened at noon today.
Shortly after 12 o'clock Lieut.-Gov.
Lyon called the Senate to order. Both
the House and Senate organized for
business by installing the nominees of
the Republican caucuses. All nominees
received the full party vote and the
Senatorial strifte did not crop out during the brief sessions.

NORTH DAKOTA'S GOVERNOR.
RISMARCK (N. D..) Jan. 5.—Frank

BISMARCK (N. D.,) Jan. 5.-Frank A. Briggs took the oath of office a Governor today. While the oath o office was being administered, the Gov omce was being administered, the Governor read a telegram announcing the death of his oldest daughter, Stella, at Minneapolls. The fifth Legislative Assembly convened at noon and organized, T. A. Burleigh being chosen Speaker of the Assembly.

MINNESOTA'S LEGISLATURE. MINNESOTA'S LEGISLATURE.

ST. PAUL (Minn.,) Jan. 5.—Both houses of the Legislature organized this afternoon, Judge J. D. Jones being selected Speaker, and M. J. Dowlings chief clerk, while S. A. Langum was reëlected secretary of the Senate. The Governor will present his message tomorrow noon. The State officers have no set time for being sworn in, filing their oaths of office with the Secretary of State at any time after receipt of their certificates of election.

CONSTRUCTING THE CABINET. Bliss May Be Naval Secretary-Reid for St. James. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CLEVELAND (O.,) Jan. 5.—President-elect McKinley and M. A. Hanna have at last got down to the serious work of constructing a Cabinet for the new administration. There seems to be no possible doubt but that Cornelius Bliss of New York has been offered and accepted the Secretaryship of the

With the appointment of Mr. Bliss oes the assurance that Whitelaw Reid New York will be the next Minister lenipotentiary to the Court of St.

COL. HAY MENTIONED. COL. HAY MENTIONED.
CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington, says that President-elect McKinley will select Col. John Hay of Washington, as Ambassador to Great Britain. Col. Hay has been Secretary of Legation at Paris, Vienna and Madrid, and was often charge d'affaires ad inferim at each of these capitals. In the Hayes administration he was First Assistant Secretary of State. Hay was one of President Lincoln's secretaries.

GRETED WITH APPLAUSE.

Message of the First Populist Gov-ernor of Montana. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SALT LAKE (Utah.) Jan. 5 .- A sp cial to the Tribune from Heiena, Mont., says Gov. Smith's first message to the Legislature was read at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Throughout the reading he was frequently interrupted with out-

he was frequently interrupted with out-bursts of applause.

The message was looked forward to with more than passing interest, as Gov. Smith is the first Populist Gov-ernor elected in Montana. The concen-sus of opinion is that the message was a most able one, and that he will re-ceive the support of the Legislature in bringing about the reforms recom-mended.

NEBRASKA'S LEGISLATURE OR-GANIZED.

LINCOLN (Neb.,) Jan. 5.—The twenty-fifth session of the Nebraska Legislature met at noon today. Organization was quickly affected. The Populists take control of the House, and

lichns of the Senate.
ORGANIZED A RUMP.
DOVER (Del.,) Jan. 5.—The Democrats organized both houses here today. In the Senate they seated Samuel R. Meredith of Kent county, Only five of the nine members participated, the Republicans withdrawing. In the House Kent county Republicans were ignored, though they protested and remained standing on the floor for an hour. They then organized a second house. George Fisher Fearse and John M. Moore, Republican Senators, refused to participate in the organization of the rump Senate.

THE IDAHO CONTEST.

BOISE (Idaho,) Jan. 5.—There have been no developments yet in the Senatorial situation. Dubois is thought to stand a good chance, but the matter is in control of the Democrats and Populists selected on the Fusion ticket. The Democrats promised to give the Populists the Senatorship, and Dubois must get seven from the combination to elect him. The Populists say today that the Democrats will stand by their agreement, but it is believed the Democrats may seek to elect one of their own party through the creation of a deadlock. THE IDAHO CONTEST.

THEY CLAIM ALL. THEY CLAIM ALL.

DENVER, Jan. 5.—The Populists tonight claim to have captured the organization of both houses of the Legislature by agreement with the National Silver and McKinley members. In the Assembly an agreement was signed by 29 Populists and 9 National Silver and 3 McKinley Republican members, and in the Senate a similar agreement was practically reached. Edwin W. Hurlbut of Cripple Creek is to be chairman of the house, He is a silverite. The Populists have all the most important committees.

A FRIEND OF CRIMINALS.

AUTGELD BREAKS THE RECORD FOR GRANTING PARDONS.

fwenty-six of Them Turned Loos or Given Generous Commuta-tions Yesterday-Dispatches Say He Wasn't a Bit Tired When He

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) GRY THE TIMES SPECIAL WIRE.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—(Special Dispatch.) Gov. Altgeld has broken the pardoning record. Twenty-six criminals, in all grades from larceny to murder, were turned loose without condition today, or given generous commutations of sentence, some being almost equal to pardon. The Governor has been showing astonishing ability in this line for thirty days. Executive clemency has been flowing from Capitol Hill in Springfield in a veritable torrent. Now it has grown to a broad rent. Now it has grown to a broad

score of twenty-six, without missing a shot, all within the limits of an ordinary working-day, is believed to be the very best in the world for the same period of time—a regular championship performance. And the dispatches say the Governor was not a bit tired at the finish.

This record-breaking prison clearance includes six absolute pardons, two of them to murderers and four to burglars. Of those who received commutation of sentence, twelve are murderers. Four were sent for life and others for terms ranging from five to thirty-five years. Most of the murderers, as well

years. Most of the murderers, as well as most of those imprisoned for other crimes, have their sentences reduced by three-quarters, only a very few being left to serve half their time.

The Governor's latest day's work makes his score for the month forty-one pardons and commutations. Of the other fifteen set free within thirty days, nine were absolutely pardoned and also nine were absolutely pardoned and siz given commutation of sentence.

A MUCH-WANTED MAN.

"COUNT" DE GUSTER ACCUSED OF NUMEROUS CRIMES

rested in Chicago and Wanted in Buffalo, New York, Boston, Lendville and Denver-Bigamist,

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—"Count" Guigilmo J. de Guster, alias Dr. Juster, alias
Dr. F. S. Rhodes, said to be a Roumanian of excellent family, and who
professes to be studying dentistry in
America, has been arrested in this city.
He is said to be wanted for several
offenses in Buffalo, New York City,
Brooklyn, Boston, Leadville and Denver. Wife abandonment, embezzlement, forgery, swindling, bigamy and
obtaining money under false prevenses
are some of the charges for which he
is wanted in various parts of the country and it is believed he has obtained (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

try and it is believed he has obtained in all about \$100,000 by his alleged illegal methods since he came to America three years ago.

He is a young man, dressed in the height of fashion, and stopped at the best hotels in the American cities he has visited. In Brooklyn he married the daughter of a prominent jeweler and deserted her August 21 of last year and deserted her August 21 of last year and went west. At Leadville he is charged with swindling a citizen out of a house and lot. He is also wanted there on several charges of forgery. Going from there to Denver, he continued his fraudulent methods. Soon after his departure for this city Chief of Police Russell of Denver learned of the enormous swindles he had perpetrated and sent his description to the police of this city. Here, while in dire distress, after being ejected from two big hotels for non-payment of bills, he met Belle Cutts, who, the police say, is an adventurers, and a marriage with her soon followed.

He will be turned over to the Brooklyn authorities as soon as an officer arrives, and will be prosecuted there, it is said, on the charge of wife abandonment.

SENSATIONAL REPORT. Large Percentage of Profit in Armor

plate Contracts. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) WASHINGTON Jan. 5.—Secretary Herbert today transmitted to Congress his reply to a provision in the last Naval Appropriation Bill directing him to evamine into the actual cost of armor plate and report to Congress before January 1, 1897. The report is a very

January 1, 1897. The report is a very important and in many respects a sensational document. The present cost of armor is \$583 per ton.

Mr. Herbert's conclusion is that the cost of material and labor is \$198.70 and allowing for the cost of maintaining the plant and the nickel now furnished by the government and 50 per cent. profit to the companies, the net cost to the government would be in round numbers \$400 per ton.

Senator Allison Goes East. DUBUQUE (Iow.) Jan. 5.—Senato: Allison has so far recovered from ill-ness, that he left for the East this morning.

ARE ONTO PRUNES.

GOOD JUDGMENT OF WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEEMEN.

an't Tell California's Product from the French, but Pick Out the Former as the Best.

GOLDEN STATE AT WASHINGTON SAMPLE OF OUR FRUITS LAID BEFORE CONGRESSMEN.

Brave Showing Made in Behalf of Western Industry—A Fair Show for Trade is All That is Asked For.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — (Special Dispatch.) The Ways and Means Committee was treated today to an object lesson as to the California fruit industry when Mr. Bowers, who represented the Republican delegation, spread out on the table for their inspection a complete line of raisins, prunes and oranges; told the prices, where each was raised, and then asked here each was raised, and then asked the question: ''Do you gentlemen think a dealer would add a cent and a half duty to the price of a dozen oranges or a few cents to a pound of raisins, or

It was a brave showing for California, for, in addition to elaborate argu-ments submitted by Mr. Bowers, Sena-tor Perkins submitted a brief containing telegrams from fruit-raisers and asking for a duty on beans and chicory. In addition, the Senator created some merriment when he created some merriment when he said he wanted to ask that the duty on dried cocoanut, or copra, be remitted, as it had drawn all the trade in that article from the United States

to Germany.

Another brief was that of Mr. Mc-Another brief was that of Mr. Mc-Lachlan, which asked higher duties on lemons, oranges, prunes, cattle and beans, the latter alming particularly at the Ventura county product. Each amount of duty asked is the same, so hat the committee will not have any misapprehension arising from diverse

misapprehension arising from diverse statements.

Mr. Bowers dwelt upon the production of fruits in California, and the amount spent abroad for fruits and nuts, which, he said, California could produce and sell more cheaply than does the foreigner. He asked that 25 cents a cubic foot be assessed on oranges, lemons and limes in boxes, and \$2.50 a thousand in bulk. Coming to raisins, he showed the immense production and showed the immense production and low praces, and asked 3 cents a pound on their and all dried fruits. The samples of prunes shown were Santa Clara and French products, the latter Clara and French products, the latter selling at 5 cents a pound higher, and the committeemen were unable to tell the foreign from the domestic fruit, but called the "alifornia product the higher

Mr. Bowers concluded with a com parison of wages and freight rates, both of which were generally in favor of foreign producers, and said all that California asked was a chance to sell her productz

THE TARIFF.

esterday's Hearing Before the Com

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The agricul tural schedule of the tariff law, which was considered today by the Ways and Means Committee, inspired statements from the representatives of a wide range of industries. There was a conrange of industries. There was a conflict between Mexican cattlemen and Congressman Curtis of Kansas over the effect of the Wilson rates on cattle and beef production in this country. Representatives of the Pennsylvania and Virginia granges asked for a duty on agricultural products. The Massachusetts fishermen and fish dealers and the salt importers and New York producers had interesting tilts. The southern rice-growers argued the necessity ern rice-growers argued the necessity of higher protection, and similar arguments were presented by California fruit-growers, Philadelphia seed men and macarroni-makers, while importers of Bermuda potatoes and onlons wanted oncessions. Tomorrow will be

to wool.
THE TESTIMONY. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- A large delegation of gentlemen from the West appeared before the Ways and Means Committee today, the schedule being agricultural products and cattle.

The first speaker was F. N. Rockwell of Warren, Pa., cattle raiser, grazing both in Mexico and Kansas. He opposed high duties. The McKinley rate on cattle, he said, was prohibitory and injured the farmers of Kansas, who

injured the farmers of Kansas, who were benefited by international grazing. The herds were taken to Kansas for periods of six to eight months.

M. M. Sherman of Salina, Kan., represented that two-thirds of the cattle imported from Mexico into the United States were owned by Americans. He thought the high rates on cattle had been decided upon by Congress to keep out Canadian competition without a thought of Mexican business. He argued, as Rockwell had, that the chief effect of the law was to injure Amer-

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"Then you think the tariff should be governed by the nationality of the producers of gaods?" Mr. Grosvenor asked. Sherman assented to this, whereupon Grosvenor inquired what effect this system would have on imported goods in other lines. Asked why he removed to Mexico, Sherman said because of the lack of ranges here.

Chairman Dingley said there were plenty of ranges in Colorado, Wyomling and other Western States. It was impossible to acquire title to ranges in this country was the answer. "Moreover," said the witness, "American laws give a man's competitors the advantage of all improvements he introduces hino his business."

Representative Curtis of Kansas said he represented a district in which more Mexican cattle were fed than any other in the United States. In behalf of the American cattle-raisers, feeders and farmers of Kansas he asked to have restored the duty of \$10 a head on all cattle one year old and over and \$2 ahead on calves less than a year old.

"I would have the duty absolutely prohibitory on every agricultural product that can be raised in this country," said Mr. Curtis. "Kansas would like duties on hay, oats and flaxseed."

"How about silver?"

"A large duty on silver would be a good plan."

Representative Bowers of California declared that the Wilson law killed the cattle business of California, flooding the State with Mexican cattle. He combatted the statements of cattleraisers that but few Mexican stock imported were sold, being brought in for feeding.

On behalf of California fruit-growers Mr. Bowers asked higher duties on fruit. There was \$16,000,000 worth of fruit imported annually, he sadd, which

Mr. Bowers asked higher duties on fruit. There was \$16,000,000 worth of fruit imported annually, he said, which might be grown by Americans. He suggested a duty of 3 cents a pound on suggested a duty of 3 cents a pound on raisins, plums, prunes and all other dried fruits, and 25 cents a cubic foot on oranges. He said Americans were peculiar about some things and pre-ferred foreign wines and fruits at higher prices, just as some of their daughters preferred greasy libertines and gamblers, because they had a for-eign label. He read petitions from raisin-growers.

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Senator Perkins of California presented a memorial recently adopted by the State Fruit Growers' Organization.

In addition to a recommendation by Mr. Bowers, he asked for duties on nuts, lima beans and chickory and that the duty of the Wilson law on cocanuts be dropped. The duty asked on lima beans was 50 cents per 100 pounds; on raw chickory 11½ cents a pound. The duty on pearl barley was asked also. The almond-growers of California were represented by T. B. Armstrong of Campo. He stated that 312,000,000 to 315,000,000 was invested in the business and from twenty to thirty thousand hands employed. Business had been brought to the verge of bankruptcy by the Wilson law and an increase of rates from 3 to 5 cents was asked.

David Lubin of California made a brief speech in advocacy of export bounties on agricultural products. The farmers knew that protection could not do for them what it did for the manufacturers. It could not add a cent to the price of wheat or flour. Therefore the only protection for the farmer against cheap lands and cheap labor of the world was by export bounties on cern, cotton, wheat and other products.

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WHERE DID THEY GO?

NEEDED PAPERS MISSING FROM THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Concerning the Subsidy Paid to the Pacific Mail Steamship Com-pany, but the Same Cometh Not.

BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE! . WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—(Special Dispatch.) Certain valuable papers bearing on the relations of the government with the Pacific railroads have disappeared from the Treasury De-partment. The Senate, by resolution, passed December 10, called upon Secre-tary Carlisle to produce papers showing the subsidy paid by the government to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. Since that time the Treasury Department has been searched high and low for the papers, but Acting Secretary Curtis was compelled to notify the Senate today that they could not be

found. In view of the strained relations now existing between the government and the Pacific railways, and the charges of improper methods that have been made against the supporters of the railroad side of the controversy, the disappearance of the most trifling doc-ument bearing on the case would at-

tract unusual attention. The question of the Pacific Mail sub-sidy arose in the examination of C. P. Huntington, president of the Central Pacific Company, by the Senate Committee last winter. tried to make Huntington admit that the railways in California combined with the Pacific Mail to buy space in steamers, so the public would be com-pelled to depend solely on the railways carrying freight across the con-

Kruger Displayed Anger, LONDON, Jan. 5.—An interview, with President Kruger is contained in the Johannesburg dispatch to the Times which says President Kruger Times which says President Kruger displayed much anger at the reception accorded to Cecil Rhodes in Cape Colony. His efforts to create amity between the English and Dutch, the President, added, were upset by Rhodes, whose money, men and guns had caused all the trouble.

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RANDEST WINTER RESORT On the Pacific Slope,
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MR. BUDD'S MESSAGE

JANUARY 6, 1897.

SOME THOUGHTS FROM THE MIND OF A GOVERNOR.

Strong Plea for Retrenchment Ever to the Extent of Creating a Board of Charities.

WHITTIER SCHOOL SITE NO GOOD RECOMMENDATIONS IN REGARD TO STATE BOARDS.

The University in Need of Funds More Appellate Courts Needed. Idlewise Armories—Coyote Fund and Railroads.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—Gov. Budd's first biennial message to the Legisla-ture is remarkable for its length. It fills a pamphlet of 100 pages and is devoted mainly to an earnest plea for economy in the management of State institutions. The Governor congratu-lates the Legislature on the prosperity of the State during the last two years and says: "We have steadily pursued the inevitable destiny which has called us to the proud position of the foremost State in this peerless union."

The Governor then turns with regre to the extravagance in the manage-ment of the State's finances, and says that the opinions expressed by him at his inauguration on that subject have been confirmed by investigation. The work of the State Board of Ex aminers is commended, and it is due to them that during the next two fiscal years \$104,667.50 will be saved over the estimates of two years ago. THAT CHARITIES BOARD.

The Governor says there should be a central body with power to prescribe the number of employes in State in-stitutions and to have general busi-ness supervision of the affairs of the ness supervision of the affairs of the various institutions. He thirks there would be a saving of 15 per cent, annually by such a plan. He is not in favor of cutting wages or abolishing needed offices and says: "Nor would I disgrace the State by permitting the salaries of the Attorney-General, State Treasurer, Secretary of State, Superintendent of Public Instruction and similar officers, performing such honorable and valuable services, to be but \$3000 annually, while County Cierks, District Attorneys, County Treasurer, Tax Collectors and Assessors frequently receive from twice to three times as much, and the heads of some of our State institutions and their subordinates receive more, and also necessaries for themselves and families."

Gov. Budd reviews his efforts to promote economy during the session of the last Legislature, and commends the management of the asylums at Napa, Agnews, Ukilah, Stockton and the Whittier State School for notable reductions in their expenses. Speaking of taxation, Gov. Budd says: "If the appropriations for purposes other than the regular running expenses of the government, as estimated by the Controller, be kept within reasonable bounds, the condition of the treasury is such that for the next two fiscal years on the present valuation of property, the tax rate will be less than 38 cents per \$100, and if the graduated corporation income tax and the excise license tax raise \$1,500,000 between them for State purposes, the people of the Gov. Budd reviews his efforts to for State purposes, the people of the State will be compelled to pay less than 26 cents on the \$100 valuation of property. And the Legislature that accomplishes this good end will stand out as the greatest our State has ever head.

sult, little injury would follow its trial."

The Governor says there are 11,000 saloons in the State, and recommends the adoption of a State excise license tax equal throughout the State, and in such amount as would insure an efficient regulation of this traffic, raise a revenue of such magnitude as would materially contribute to the support of the State government and secure to the citizen adequate compensation for the burdens arising from its existence.

INSURANCE LAWS.

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The Governor recommends that every bank be required to make a report to the Bank Commissioners of its affairs at noon on the first Monday in March of each year, the stafement to be verified by the Commissioners and immediately transmitted to the Governor. Buch reports should be open to inspection by the Assessor of each county of the State. The law creating the Bank Commissioners should be so amended as to provide that a willful failure of any Commissioner to properly perform his duties should constitute a criminal offense and a forfeiture of his office.

STATE FUNDS.

STATE FUNDS. In touching upon the State funds he says: "One of the worst features of our financial administration consists of retaining, 'continuing' or 'standing' appropriations; that is, the establishment or recognition, by law, of some board, body or institution, and a provision for an appropriation in its interest. This appropriation once provided for, while not a bonded indebtedness or a liability in fact, causes a yearly amount to be drawn from the general fund, without any act of appropriation providing therefor at each session of the Legislature. As an instance of this class of liability, I might cite the indigent fund which imposed upon the people of the State of California a tax of over \$2,300,000, from the time it became a law until its repeal." of our financial administration consist

STATE UNIVERSITY.

Of the State University the Governor says its growth has been phenomenal. The university has not adequate accommodations for the students, and it must have aid or it will be compelled to apportion the students throughout the State in acordance with population. Normal School work is commendable. The Governor recommends a reconveyance to the city of San José of a portion of the grounds of the Normal School there is order that a High School and library may be constructed. STATE UNIVERSITY.

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Constitution, and that, holding the rate fixed must be reasonable, demands of California the selection of her ablest men for the place.

Under the head of State prisons the Governor emphatically declares that the maintenance of two prisons entails two sets of officials and the needless expense of two establishments, and he, therefore, recomemnds their consolidation. The salary list at San Quentin is \$120,000 biennially, of which over one-half could be saved. The supplies are estimated at \$200,000 biennially, of which that going for the maintenance of redundant officials, light, fuel and power would be saved. The San Quentin site alone, if sold, would produce sufficient money to erect all needed buildings at Folsom and complete a consolidation of the two prisons. The State Board of Prison Directors should be empowered and directed to make this consolidation and erect the necessary buildings at the earliest possible moment, and in such manner as it deems best for the interests of the State.

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When the prisons are consolidated, if Folsom was permitted to produce many of the supplies required at the other State institutions, and to aid in the production of articles entering into the construction of new and the repair of old buildings, and in the furnishings of both, the saving to the State would be considerable.

THE REFORM SCHOOLS.

Under the head of reform schools he recommends that the boys at Whittier who need the industrial habits set out by Superintendent Coffin, be transferred to the industrial school at Ione, and that the institution at Whittler be turned into a school for the reformation of girls. He strongly urges consolidation of the reform schools into one for boys at Preston, unless the changes between Glen Ellen and Whittler be made. In this connection he calls attention to the report of Special Trustee Mitchell of Whittier, and recommends that it be made mandatory by the law to teach and treat girls in reform schools as recommended by her. The Governor says the Whittier school should not have been established where it now stands. It needs more land; it must purchase water for irrigation, and whatever power it has must come from coal, wood or oil. Dr. Osborne of Glen Ellen, the report says, objects to Whittier as not proper for his institution, which, if correct, condemns it as a reformatory.

STATE PRINTING OFFICE. THE REFORM SCHOOLS.

The expenses of the State Printing Office are declared to be excessive, owing to the system under which it is conducted, and the Governor suggests that the law be amended so that a board be provided to consist of practical printers and business men. to have control, as other boards have ever State institutions, at the expiration of the term of the present superintendent.

STATE BOARDS. The Governor makes recommenda-The Governor makes recommenda-tions touching the San Francisco Har-bor Board, Labor Commission, Board of Health, Yosemite and Fish commis-sions, and Horticultural Board, and says the State Dairy Bureau has done more good than its most sanguine friends expected. Of the district agri-cultural societies, he says the entire system of agricultural fairs should be reorganized. The State library law needs amending.

COURT COMMISSIONERS. The Governor refers to the work of commissions as not having been productive of the results expected. He recommends the creation of one or more courts of appeal, with such jurisdiction as will reduce the number of appeals to the Supreme Court. One of these appellate courts could sit at Los Angeles and one at San Francisco, while the Supreme Court should sit at the capital.

As the law now provides a four-year term instead of one of two years, Gov. Budd says a reduction might be made

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS. be too highly commended. Whether or not the suggestions of the Bureau of Highways as to a general road system be adopted, he says, its other recommendations should be, and the laws for managing and constructing roads should be changed. No State has better facilities, at less cost, for constructing fine roads than has California, and it is to be hoped that coöperation between legislators and the members of the State Bureau of Highways will be productive of a system of good roads, a thing we have failed to effect in the past, largely through lack of proper knowledge of the subject.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

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under the head of constitutional amendments, he says:

"The Governor's inauguration, so shortly after election, coupled with his familiarizing himself with the policy and recommendations of his predecessor as given in his last message after. and recommendations of his predecessor, as given in his last message, after
the Legislature has convened, is extremely unwise. Our Constitution should
be amended, fixing the legislative term
at not to exceed one hundred days, and
prohibiting the introduction of bills in
either body after the first thirty days
of the session, except in urgency, and
then only by unanimous consent, after
three days' notice.
"The Governor's term should commence on the first Monday of July succeeding his election; then his predecessor's recommendations will receive the
consideration due them by the Legislature to meet the January following. By

ture to meet the January following. By this means each Governor would have this means each Governor would have more time at the beginning of his term to devote to State affairs, and the Legislature ample leisure in which to make a study of State institutions, consider recommendations and formulate needed laws."

NATIONAL GUARD.

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Of National Guard matters the message says: "Were the militia better equipped for actual service, neither officers nor men would be criticised for matters now beyond their control.

"A State armory in San Francisco (and perhaps at Los Angeles) in the near future will be a necessity. It should contain office room for State officials residing there. This should be accomplished under article XVI of our Constitution on a vote of the people and issuance of bonds. The saving would more than justify the expenditure, while the convenience and safety assured would make the same most desirable."

In conclusion the Governor reiterates the recommendations contained in his inaugural message with reference to the defeat of the Pacific Railroad Funding Bill.

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He recommended to the state the relief it needs for its instruct our Senators and request our Senators

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"Resolved, that the Governor be re-lested to imediately transmit a copy

of silver in the ratio of 16 to 1; and be it further

"Resolved, that the Governor be requested to imediately transmit a copy of these resolutions to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress."

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Assemblyman Canavan of Marin county introduced the following resolutions, which were referred to the same committee:

"Whereas, a universally-recognized republican form of government has been recently established over the Hawaiian Islands by the independent action of the inhabitants thereof; and whereas, it appears that said government is founded upon such correct and advanced principles of humanity and wisdom as to insure its permanent stability; and, it also appearing that a majority of the citizens of this republic, many of whom control the administration of its affairs, are of the Caucasian race, being mainly of American origin; and, whereas, it has become obvious by reason of the numerous expressions of opinion of both citizens of Hawaii and those of the United States that there exists a prevailing mutual sentiment among the people just mentioned in favor of the alliance of the Hawaiian Republic with the United States, either by means of the annexation of Hawaii to our country, or by such other international agreement as will properly serve to that end; and, whereas, owing to the geographical location of the Hawaiian Islands with relation to the United States; also their extensive fertile territory and abundant natural resources; it certainly becomes an important question in the light of expedience and necessity in furtherance of the improvement of the military defense of our western coast (in addition to largely promoting our commercial interests,) that decisive measures should be speedily adopted, with a view toward effecting the substantial union of the Hawaiian government by any foreign power; and, in view of the foregoing consideration, wherefore, be it

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"Resolved, by the Assembly, and the Senate concurring, that our Representatives to Congress be, and they are are hereby requested and empowered to exercise special efforts in procuring such national action toward the accomplishment of the objects herein set forth as will be consistent with any other measure relative thereto, that may best meet the approval of the constituted authorities of both countries."

The following Committee on Mileage was appointed: Assemblymen O. E. Brieling, chairman; Fontana, Goedhue, Burnett and Treacy.

Mr. North of Yolo introduced the following, which was unanimously adopted:
"Whereas, there is a strong desire."

following, which was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, there is a strong desire throughout the State to lighten the burden of taxation during these hard times; and, whereas, there is also a strong feeling throughout the State that the State affairs are not economically administered; therefore, be it "Resolved, that upon its appointment the Committee on Retrenchment and Public Expediture be instructed, first, to ascertain what State commissions, institutions or board, if any, can be consolidated, or are useless and should be abolished, and what expeditures of the various public offices or institutions for salaries or otherwise can be discontinued or advantageously reduced in proportion to the change of circumstances or ordinary business; second, to prepare and report to the Assembly not later than February 1 such bills or resolutions as may be required to carry out their recommendations."

The Senate resolution introduced by Senator Androus in the Senate regard-ing the tariff on fruits, etc., was con-

Senator Androus in the Senate regarding the tariff on fruits, etc., was concurred in.

The following resolution relative to the Nicaraguan Canal was introduced by Mr. Hudson and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations:

"Wheras, the Pacific Coast States of the Union have been, and are suffering arrested development, caused by commercial isolation; and, whereas, this commercial isolation is remediable by the construction of the Nicaragua Canal, and the rapid development of the States be reassured; and, whereas, the construction of this canal would inure to the incalculable benefit of every part of the United States in promoting commerce and manufactures; in developing such an enormous coastwise traffic as should more than restore our commercial marine, in making the Gulf of Mexico the center of the worlds navigation, and in doubling the efficiency of our navy; and, whereas, the expense of the undertaking may be adequately met by a bond issue repayable by a sinking fund of half of the cent. State and the payment of wages for labor on public work.

20. To provide for a committee to arrange for a State exhibit at the Paris Exposition in 1990, and appropriation in 1897.

21. To amend the act providing for the disincorporations of municipal corporations, of the sixth class.

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worlds navigation, and in doubling the efficiency of our navy; and, whereas, the expense of the undertaking may be adequately met by a bond issue repayable by a sinking fund of half of one per cent., set aside annually from canal tolls, so that no burden of increased taxation is imposed on our people, but rather an immensely valubale property be acquired; be it "Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, that we instruct our Senators and urgently request our Representatives in Congress from this State to use every means in their power to effect such legislation as shall assure the immediate building of the Nicaragua Canal, said canal to be built, owned and operated by the United States."

Edward McCabe, the Governor's private secretary, presented the Governor's private secretary, presented the Governor's private secretary, presented the Governor's committee on the Auti-Funding Iteso-noick. Recess was taken the report of the Committee on the Auti-Funding Iteso-noitions reported the following as a substitute for the resolutions of Messrs. Belshaw and Caminetti:

"Whereas, there is now rending in Congress, a measure known as the Powers-Gear Bill, which has for its object the refunding of the debts of certain government-aided "ailroads: and whereas, any scheme for refunding the Pacific railroads indebtedness to the United States government or any extension of time for payment of the State of California; therefore be it "Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California; therefore be it "Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California; therefore be it "Resolved, by the Assembly of the Interest payments for california; therefore be it "Resolved, that we favor the immediate collection, on maturity, of said debts, or in the eyent the same control of the powers. The payment of the powers of the proposed to any and all extensions of the immediate collection, on maturity, of said debts, or in the eyent the same control of the powers. The payment of the powers of the powers

we petition, in behalf of the State of California, for a hearing before the respective committees of Congress having jurisdiction of the subject; and the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States are hereby further petitioned to recommit the measure now under consideration and delay final action thereon until such hearing can be had."

A substitute was offered by Mr. Dryden of San Diego, which was a slight modification of Mr. Caminetti's resolution of yesterday. Mr. Burnett also had a substitute. Messrs. Caminetti and Dryden made long speeches. Chalman Belshaw of the committee accepted Mr. Caminetti's amendment, and the resolution in that shape was passed.

The following resolution providing The following resolution providing for the appointment of attaches of the Assembly was introduced by Mr. Guy and adopted:

"Resolved, that the following-named they are hereby appointment of the control of the control

persons be and they are hereby appointed to and employed for the positions and at the per diem set opposite their respective names; said per diem to be paid out of the appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Assembly, and the State Controller be authorized and directed to draw his warrants upon the said fund in favor of the following-named persons for the said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

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The following bills were introduced: 1. Appropriation for Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute Improvements. 2. To regulate primary elections. 3. An act to amend an act to create a police c

its.

10. To amend section 29 of an act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts.

11. To amend secs. 8 and 49 of an act for the relief of insolvent debtors.

12. To amend sec. 312 of the Civil To amend sec. 3817 of the Political

Code.

15. To appropriate \$1535.25 to pay claim of Garret W. McEnerney and W. W. Foote for services in suit brought to decided whether it was necessary to hold an election to fill the unexpired term of Lieutenant-Governor.

16. To establish a uniform system of primary elections in the State of California.

Watch this space tomorrow. All about

Rare-Bits

56. To amend sec. 607 of the Civil To amend sec. 792 of the Political

Code.

59. To add two new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the setting aside of a judgment of a Superior Court and the rendition of a new judgment without trial.
60. To amend sec. 685 of the Civil Code.
61. To amend sec. 245 of the Political

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62. To pay the claim of Thomas Hatch, \$1050.
63. To amend the act relating to the school-teachers' annuity and retirement fund.
64. To regulate the width of tires on vehicles.
65. To establish a State normal school at San Diego.
66. To enable cities incorporated under a charter to abandon their charters and organize under the general law.

To provide for the incorporation

of banking corporations.
68. To amend the act establishing fees of county officers and others.
69. To prevent the adulteration of 70. To amend sec. 105 of the Code of Civil Procedure. 71. To amend sec. 4428 of the Polit-

71. To amend sec. 4428 of the Political Code.
72. To keep open natural channels not navigable, running through agricultural lands.
73. To amend sec. 634 of the Penal Code.
74. To provide for holding a joint primary election for all political parties.
75. To amend an act providing for the sale of railroad and other franchises in municipalities.
76. To amend sec. 251 of the Penal Code.
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77. To amend sections 190 and 218 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for murder and train-wrecking. 78. To amend the section of the code

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79. To repeal sec. 625, and to amend sections 627, 628, 632, 634 and 636 of the Penal Code relating to fish and game.

80. To provide for the employment of citizens upon public works.

81. To enforce prompt payment of wages of laborers in lawful money of the United States.

82. To prevent collision between employers of labor and employment agents.

agents.

83. To amend the act to provide for the apportionment, duties and compensation of a debris commission.

The Assembly adjourned until tomorrow at 9:10 o'clock.

WAS CHOPPING WOOD osnic Occupation of an Alleged

Stagerobber Now Prisoner. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) AUBURN, Jan. 5.—The man who held now supposed to be behind prison bars, Sheriff Conroy and Deputy George Mitchell captured him early this morning near Bernie Hill, Eldorado county. It was in the mountains and the highwayman was chopping wood when the officers came upon him. He made a start for his coat which hung on a tree near him. Sheriff Conroy stopped him and on searching the coat Deputy Mitchell found a bowle knife and a loaded six-shooter. At the man's cabin a Winchester rifle was found also loaded. The officers are certain he is the man they tracked in the race shortly after the hold-up. He gave his name as John Hoyman. He is a young man, six feet tall, large and muscular. now supposed to be behind prison bars. FORGED OR GENUINE?

over Mrs. Craven's Deeds.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—In the forthcoming suit of Mrs. Nettie Craven, the alleged contract widow of Craven, the alleged contract widow of James G. Fair, for a slice of the estate, the attorneys for Mrs. Craven are busy preparing evidence to offset the report of Experts Alles and Carvalo that the "pencil will," deeds and marriage contract are forgeries. This will be introduced when the case is called for trial on February 2.

The representatives of Mrs. Craven are going to have a few experts themselves, who will be put on the stand to declare the documents genuine. All parties say they are ready to go to trial immediately. Mrs. Craven's illness may, however, prove a cause of delay. According to her physician her condition is still serious.

GEN. F. A. WALKER.

of the Well-known Politician BOSTON, Jan. 5.—Gen. Francis A. Walker, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, a well-known politicias, economist and litterateur. was stricken with apoplexy this morn-and and died soon afterward.

WILL ABDICATE.

Westminster Gazette Republishes LONDON, Jan. 5.—(By Atlantic Cable.) The Westminster Gazette gives prominence to the report that Queen Victoria has decided to commemorate the longest reign in English history by abdicating in favor of the Prince of Wales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—The Merchants' Association recently forwarded to California's Senators and Congressmen at Washington resolutions asking them to lend all their efforts to advance the work of the Nicaragua Canal. Replies were received today from Senators Perkins and White and Congressman Maguire, Loud and McLachlan. All acknowledge the importance to California of the completion of the preaticanal, and all assured the association that nothing would be left undone to bring it about and thereby establish the advantageous route.

Hats Off at Chicago

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CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—The City Council has passed an ordinance which prohibits the wearing of any hats or headgear in theaters during the performance. This will compel all ladies to lay aside their bonnets while at the theaters or other places of amusement. The ordinance was passed by the Council without a dissenting vote. Managers or proprietors of amusement places who violate the ordinance are subject to fines for each offense. The Mayor said he would sign the ordinance.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—(Special Dispatch.) Miss J. Miller of Santa Barbara is at the Murray Hill.

WASTEFUL OPERATION.

Profit at the Wrong End.?

(Engineering Magazine:) The public does not necessarily suffer by diminution in train mileage, provided the freight is carried and duly delivered. The difference between sixty hours, and seventy-two or eighty-four hours, for example, in the time of a freight train between New York and Chicago is not much to the shipper, but it is a great deal to the railroad. It might make just the difference between a full load and a load less than full, and it makes a difference in running speed of some miles per hour, involving waste of fuel and wear and tear. The speed question is highly important in itself, as far as freight trains are concerned. It should not be very difficult to devise a system of freight-train schedules which should cut down train mileage greatly. A hard-and-fast agreement, such as has been so often attempted on rates, could perhaps be drawn up to limit for each road the number of freight trains to be dispatched per day, due regard being had to the physical Have Our Bailroads Been Tackling to limit for each road the number of freight trains to be dispatched per day, due regard being had to the physical efficiency and characteristics of each company. A hundred difficulties in the way of such an agreement could, no doubt, be suggested by practical railroad men, which can be neither anticipated nor answered here, but it is submitted that the principle underlying such an agreement is sound, and that enforcement of such agreement, or at least detection of breaches thereof, would be easy and inexpensive. The suggestion is hazarded that the problem has been tackled at the wrong end hitherto by the majority of railroad men. They have striven to control the market for their product, but have neglected the question of its production. They have wrangled, quarreled and fought over rates and tonnage, but they have overloaked the main question—namely, the amount of work they were doing with that tonnage in wasted train mileage. Profit depends at least as much upon cost as upon selling price.

"A Fine Issue."

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(San Francisco Chronicle:) The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times is a fine issue of forty-eight pages, with a colored cover of eight pages containing many half-tone pictures of private residences and gardens and public buildings in the city. The issue is made up of elaborate special articles, superbly illustrated, on all the great industries of Los Angeles county. great industries of Los Angeles county, with several readable papers on the old ist travel converted the treeless plains into gardens, and colonies. Among the special articles are elaborate papers on "The Desert," "What Water Has Done," "Characteristic Homes of Los Angeles," "Ranch Life," "The Olive and the Vine," "Our Citrus Fruits," "Sports in Southern California," "Manufactures," "Our Gardens," and articles on the six southern counties. The number reflects great credit upon the leading newspaper of Southern California. It gives for 10 cents a mass of information about Los Angeles and the other southern counties which cannot be found elsewhere in such readable form.

(Cleveland Leader:) He. Do you believe in this mistletoe business?

She. No. You have to have a light to see where the thing is.

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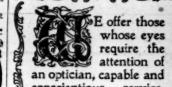
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Affidavit of Superintendent of Cir STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS

ANGELES, 88.
Personally appeared before ma, Harry Chandler, superintendent of circulation of the Lee Angeles Times, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing is a correct estibility of the circulation of the Los Angeles Times for the week ending January 2, very (Signed) HARRY CHANDLER. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d lay of January, 1897.

(Seal)

J. C. OLIVER,

Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County,

State of California. Amdavit of the Presspins

TATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, SS. Personally appeared before me, George W.
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Los March and says that the daily editions of
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Sunday, December 27......

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State of California, day of January, 1897.

The Law in the Case.
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(New York Post:) The effect of courtesy in the family life has no limit in its results upon the servants — an instinctive understanding that gentleneas and consideration are essential to the ladyhood to which they aspire, is as clear and interesting to them as the twist of your Psyche knot or the width of your last new skirt. While we laugh at the carlicatures which sally forth on "evenings out" or holiday Sundays, we cannot but see that they are the result of an intense study of the home model. The exaggerated "picture hat," with its ill-hung feathers, or the flower-garden of many coarse hues, only serves to show how short a step leads from every extreme of fashien to the absolutely vulgar and ridiculous, and the copyist goes further than we know; our handshake is carefully studied, our ardor or indifference accepted as the height of gentility. Unconscious education goes forth from us every moment, and finds its result in the manner of service which is rendered to us and our friends. One small item which I have often noted is the morning aspect of the head of the house. If she comes down in sweet daintiness, free from suspicion of last year's elaborate street-dress dingy with shabby, unsuitable ornament, but patiently robed in a refined house gown however plain, with hair fastidiously arranged, and all the air of morning freshness due the new day. Betty will look well to her apron and linger longer over the refractory hair, which does so much to make or mar her appearance. Dinner time, dinner dress, dinner forms, all tend to incite and converse decorous dress, but breakfast is the hour for vigilance in the mistress, which is sure to be followed by the maid. Even in morals we are made standards. I have more than once been met by tearful excuses: "Sure, ma'am; I thought it was no harm; the lady where I lived last let the young ladies do it." Especially does this hold "Good night" is in changing a place into home, and you have not received true service until y

Postal Savings Banks.

into your easy chair and know that they will do their best.

Postal Savings Banks.

(Chicago Record:) It is a reproach to the government of the United States that it has not established postal savings banks. It has the machinery at hand for putting the system in operation. The benefits resulting would be incalculable. No objection to the establishment of postal savings banks that is worthy of serious consideration can be brought forward. Conservatives and radicals alike, must admit their desirability. If Congress really wishes to do something to benefit the great mass of the people and to allay popular discontent, particularly throughout the West and South, let it establish postal savings banks for the accommodation of persons of small means. The party just coming into power could become responsible for no more popular measure.

Wherever tried postal savings banks have proved remarkably successful and popular. Their influence in giving stability to government is manifest. They encourage thrift and independence. Owing to the fact that depositions interference with the business of private banking institutions. The latter deal with an entirely different class of customers—depositors of larger means than those who use the postal savings banks. By encouraging savings banks. By encouraging savings banks even have a tendency to increase the number of those who may and do become depositors in private banks.

All the leading nations of the world, with the exception of two or three, have postal savings banks and alf have postal savings banks have grown by leaps and bounds. In the United States while savings deposits are in the New England States and New York. Throughout the great centers of century, the eavings deposits are in the New England States and New York. Throughout the needs of the people. Besides, the depositor of small means frequently is not able to pick out from private banks those that are safe, and consequ

Postal savings banks would contribute materially to the wealth and handless of the neonle and to the stability of the government. Congress should not delay longer in establishing them.

How Americans Teach Patriotism.

(London Truth:) "An Old-Fashioned Patriot" writes to say that the attention of persons who love their country has lately been called by articles in American magazines to the systematic manner in which the sentiment of patriotism is developed in their higher schools for girls. The pupils are regularly drilled to perform an exercise of "saluting the flag" in military style. They are made familiar with the past of their country, and in its very short history everything that is glorious or can be a subject of national pride is brought before them till an enthusiasm for the "star-spangled banner" glows in every heart. We copy America in many things; would, that we might copy her in educating the young to know the glories of their country's past and to reverence its flag. They do not know the meaning of the union jack. To them one flag is as good as another—anything that has a bright color—and when a town is draped for some festivity any flags are made use of; the greater number always have the French tricolor. "I had rather." this patriot says, "see the American Stars and Stripes. They are our brothers in blood." How Americans Teach Patriotism. COAL.

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HERMAN SILVER.

An anonymous correspondent, writing in the Los Angeles Herald of Tuesday morning, makes a feeble but malicious attack upon Herman Silver, who has been chosen president of the City Council. The correspondent's attack upon Mr. Silver is both feeble and fufile, because it rests upon no basis of truth. It is malicious, because it is obviously inspired by personal spite or

Herman Silver is a well-known citizen of Los Angeles, who enjoys the respect and esteem of this community. He needs no defense against the petty attacks of prejudiced partisans or disappointed office-seekers. His honorrecord, his known integrity, his high character as a man and a citizen, furnish a sufficient guaranty that the motives which control his actions are pure, and that in his official capacity as president of the Council he will serve the interests of the people of this municipality, instead of serving the interests of any special class or clique. The Herald's correspondent signs

himself "A Member of the League for Better City Government." That he is a member of that organization is in the last degree improbable, for his communication furnishes almost evidence to the contrary. If he is a member of the League for Better City Government, he is a most unworthy one, for his words are those of a Populistic partisan rather than of a citizen who is desirous of aiding in the purification of municipal politics. The chief complaint against Mr. Sfiver appear to be that he voted for Messrs. Forman and Preuss for Police Commissioners. It is alleged that these gentlemen were formerly Democrats, but that, as they refused to support the Chicago platform and Bryan in the late Presidential campaign, they are not to be regarded as Democrats; hence that Mr. Silver did wrong in voting to make them members of the Police Commission of Los Angeles. This is indeed a queer argument to come from a professed member of a non-partisan league, which aims to promote the better government of the city irrespective of any and all political parties. But, aside from its inconsistency, the complaint against Mr. Silver's action is not valid. It is based upon the utterly and egregiously false assumption that Messrs. Forman and Preuss ceased to be Democrats when they declined to support the Chicago platform. This senting the people of this community assumption rests upon no basis of truth or reason. It will appear in good time that the truest and most loyal Democrats were those who refused to follow some of their blind party leaders to destruction. The law contemplates that both of the great political and in the selections made by the in other ways. This duty is doubly Council this requirement has been incumbent in view of the action of the fully complied with. Men of superior commissions.

discharge the duties and bear the re-Council upon a non-partisan ticket, tives of the people,

and his selection to the presidency of the Council is peculiarly appropriate. He will preside over the deliberations of that body with impartiality, good judgment and high ability. He can well afford to ignore the attempted criticisms of petty partisans, conscious that the better sentiments of the entire community will sustain him, and that politics will cut no figure in the case.

NOT A FITTING PARALLEL

If the Chicago newspapers are worthy of belief, then one Michael Madder, an Alderman of that city, who is not supposed to represent the purest element in the politics of the Sucker State, is an aspirant to the United States Senate with more than a halfway chance of election. The aristocratic element of the boulevards are seemingly horrified at the condition of piration of a mere ward politician to a national reputation as Stephen A. Douglas, John A. Logan or Lyman Trumbull. California once sent to the Senate a

man who began his political career as ward politician in New York. But that fact once mentioned, all resemblance between him and Alderman Madden of the Windy City are at an end. David C. Broderick was four years a melter of gold in an assay office in San Francisco, during which period he was the moving spirit in the Monterey convention that framed the first con stitution of California, by which she entered the Federal Union as a free State. When his work at the furnace was ended for the day, he got his supper and retired to his solitary room where he spent the best part of the night in reading works on international law and otherwise qualifying himself for a fit realization of his strong ambition. When John Mc-Dougall became Governor of the State in consequence of the resignation of Hon. Peter H. Burnett, Mr. Broderick became acting Lieutenant-Governor. During his term as presiding officer of the State Senate, but one appeal was taken from his decision and then the ruling of the chair was sustained by a two-thirds vote.

His career in the United States Senate was marked by a force of character such as is displayed by about one Senator in a thousand. His name is interwoven everywhere with the records of the great struggle to prevent the extension of slavery, a cause to which he gave what the immortal Lincoln would call "the last full measure of devotion." He was a fitting type of California's youthful days, a living epitome of her brawny arms and vigorous brains. No more self-poised character ever rose, through sheer integrity of purpose, from darkness and poverty up to light and power. His name is part and parcel of the history of a State which believed, with the

modest Ayrshire plowman, that "Rank is but the guinea stamp

The man's the gowd for a' that." With the fact that both began life as ward politicians in metropolitan cities ends all comparison between the Chicago boss and the heroic man who sleeps beneath the tall column on Laurel Hill. One is content to be a boss in national politics, seeking merely to amplify the sphere of his operations. The other tried hard to make a scholar of himself, and the State of his adoption always did, and always will, regard his death as not only premature but cruel. There is no present analogy between the lives of Madden and Broderick. The circumstances that elevated the stalwart gold refiner to a foremost seat in the nation's council are not likely to occur twice in the same century.

The present City Council has an opportunity to undo the improper action of the preceding Council in misrepreon the harbor question. It is to be hoped that in due time proper action will be taken, especially in view of the fact that the Board of Harbor Commissioners is now here. It is incumbent upon the present Council to take such action as will represent the sentiments parties shall be equally represented on of this community, which have been so the Board of Police Commissioners, frequently and so forcibly expressed former Council, which was so directly personnel have in nearly every instance | contrary to public opinion that the members of the old Council who sought re-election were forced to dis-As president of the Council, Mr. Sil- claim responsibility for that action. It ver occupies a position of great im-portance and responsibility. It may be the Council may take will influence is not expected that any action which set down as a certainty that he will the decision of the Harbor Commissioners, but it is a simple matter of sponsibilities of that position with right and justice that the overwhelm ignal credit to himself and with bene- ing sentiment of the community should fit to the city. He was elected to the be reflected by the chosen representa

UNDO THE WRONG.

A petition was presented to the City Council on Monday, asking that the unjust, illegal, and outrageous action taken by the preceding Council, requiring that all city printing shall bear the label of the Typographical Union, be rescinded. The petition was referred to the Supply Committee, with whom it rests for the present. The matter should be brought up at an early day and the unwarranted action of the preceding Council should be promptly rescinded. That action was craven, cowardly, and outrageous, in addition to being illegal.

The City Council has no right, either moral or legal, to divert the funds of the city to the support of any particular organization, political, social, commercial, or religious. The taxes which make up the city's revenues are levied ipon the property of all citizens, and there must be no partiality, no favoritsm, in the expenditure of the publi funds.

The printing done for the city should go to the lowest responsible bidder. The Council has no right to make discriminations in this matter. It has no right to take cognizance of such a thing as a "union label," any more than it has a right to prescribe a certain form of religion. The new Council should hasten to undo the outrageous wrong done by its predecessor in

Not content with issuing a splendid Christmas number, the San Francisco Chronicle has published a New Year' edition that surpasses anything which has yet emanated from the Chronicle office, and that is saying a good deal. This New Year's edition comprises, with its brilliantly-illuminated cover sixty-two pages. It is divided into six sections and may be said to be a concise history of California during the past half of the present century. The first four sections are mainly devoted to a series of descriptive articles "before the golden days of the Argonauts," and of the wonderful affairs which confronts them-the as- progress since made, a progress so rapid and so great and so firmly seat filled hitherto by such men of founded as to have been the means of placing California in the first rank of the great States of the Union. two last sections of this special edition are devoted to the news of the day. It is profusely illustrated throughout, almost every page having views of the scenes described in the text, and all of them typical of California in its past and present days. Nor is there one leading industry in the State but has been fully treated so that with the maps; and production statistics the edition constitutes valuable compendium of the resources and grand business enterprise now existing in California.

> William Allen Butler, the New York lawyer who wrote "Nothing to Wear" and "General Average," has just been presented with a silver punch bowl and ladle, in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of his admission to th bar in that city. Butler is a clever man rather than a great one. He is best known as the author of "Nothing to Wear," but his "General Average" simply a farce-comedy in rhyme It first appears in July 1871, in Harper's Magazine, and there are a few old gray-bearded chaps that have not got done laughing at it yet. Mr. Butler was born in 1825 and has lived beyond the patriarchal allotment of three-score and ten, but is full of the effervescent humor which character izes his "Barnum's Parnassus," published forty-six years ago.

Perhaps no holiday number of a ewspaper has been issued this season that will more thoroughly recommend itself to young people of reading interesting and instructive stories than the Christmas numof these a large proportion is devoted to tales appropriate to this season of the year and written in a style that makes them interesting equally to young and old. The edition also contains some well-written articles on the business and agricultural interests of the State, among which is one on the College of Agriculture and what it is doing for the farmers of California.

Maine is a great State, even if she loes not have as much population as New York or as many lynchings as At the last election she Kentucky. furnished the governors of four different States-Lewellyn Powers Maine; Hazen B. Pingree of Michigan; Frank S. Black of New York; and John R. Rogers of the new State of Washington. The Pine Tree State fills an important place in the civilization of the continent. Her sons have blazed a trail all the way from the Penobscot to the shores of the magnificent inland sea where old Seattle first came forth to welcome the

man with the ax.

It begins to look as though the New York World and the Journal were trying to see which could fake up the biggest sensation in regard to the Cuban war, with "the frozen truth" as an after consideration. That story about the fight between a Spanish cruiser and the filibuster steamer Three Friends was "cut out of whole cloth" and shows how utterly unrelia ble those papers are. The best authorities at Havana and Key West have stated that no such occurence ever took place and the most likely theory is that some "war corresp faked it up for fear of losing his job.

The Australian papers are beginning to follow the lead of the Irish journals and deplore the evils of absentecism. In 1827 a man name Cooper came out from England and settled in New South Wales; and in 1828 Capt. H. J. Rous (afterward admiral) arrived there also. These two acquired holdings of land near the Cova in what is now the very heart justice sends him to jail and

of the city of Sydney, a place at least 45,000 bigger than San Francisco. The rents of these lands amount to over \$30,000 per month and are all spent in England by the heirs of Cooper and Rous, both of whom are some years dead. A fiduciary agent collects these rents on a small commission and that commission is all of the vast income of those estates that is spent in New South Wales. It certainly is a big drain on any country, but San Francisco is largely made tributary to New

The growth of the Mississippi Valley States can be estimated by the growth of commerce on the Great Lakes. In year 1836, only sixty years ago the total receipts of wheat flour at Buffalo for the year were 139,200 barrels, which would be just about one good average load for some of the big propellers now navigating those waters. Last year Buffalo received 10,365,792 barrels of flour, in addition to 223,854,000 bushels of grain. And don't forget that an enormous quantity of Ohio and Indiana grain does not go by way of Buffalo but goes to Baltimore by the B. & O. railroad.

The Midwinter Number of THE TIMES contained an article by one of the staff upon the importance of planting valuable timber, if any. Since that article appeared in type an English railway journal has come to hand with a description of a railway bridge 1120 feet long, recently completed in Ireland. It is constructed entirely of jarrah wood cut in Western Australia and is deemed imperishable. Jarrah is the hardest of all the eucalyptus family and takes twenty-one years to attain the same size that the Tasmanian blue gum reaches in six.

Senator Morrill of Vermont is picturesque figure in American politics. If he lives till the third day of March next, he will have served five full terms in the United States Senate, an honor never enjoyed by any other American since the inception of this republic. The nearest approach to Mr. Morrill's record is that of Senator Benton of Missouri, who served four terms and a half. The Republican party has but few men in its ranks who have contributed more use ful efforts toward national prosperity than Senator Morrill.

It is safe to presume that Senator Teller of Colorado has been busy during the holiday recess drafting an amendment to the Cameron resolution. Mr. Tellers' amendment may be looked for when the discussion of the Cuban question has reached its most acute stage. Of course it will provide for the "free and unlimited coinage of silver by the United States, at a ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the consent of any other nation." This will settle the Cuban question, so far as the present Congress is concerned.

Half of the Democrats in Kentucky, ecording to the Louisville Commercial, who voted for Bryan did so be cause they believed him to be the regular Democratic nominee, and not be cause they cared for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at any ratio The same statement might truthfully be made as regards the vote in any of the States carried by the Populist ticket. The actual vote for free coinage, if it could be segregated, would be ridiculously small in every State of the Union.

When Congress reassembles Mr Cleveland may have something to say He has hitherto been very offish on that subject and reminds one of the dilatory way in which Mc-Clellan conducted President Lincoln finally got so sick of McClellan's procrastinating style of doing business that he sent him the ber of the San Francisco Post. 'It following brief but significant note: "My dear McClellan: If you don't want to use the army, I should like to

A. LINCOLN." fully, Mr. Max Pracht, of Ashland, Or. Sitka during Mr. Harrison's administration, has gone East and gotten himself interviewed as an aspirant for the governorship of the land of the fur-seal. If he impresses Mr. McKinley as he does everybody else, he need not put up his lighting rod. It will be a case of "never tetched me," so far as the electric fluid generated at

borrow it for awhile.

Canton is concerned. The Blue Cut train-robber sighed heavily as he looked over the contents of the looted car. "This is nearly Hades," he muttered. "Sever boxes of blonde-haired dolls, movable eyes; three boxes of Mother Goose books; two cases of picked turkeys; sixteen dozen mince pies without brandy; and \$84 in cash. Boys, what do you say if we go back to town and reform?'

nently asks: "If we are to take a position in regard to Cuba that may involve us in war, would we not bette take a position in regard to the tariff that may involve us in revenue? Such a step would be something of ar innovation upon the regime of the past four years, but it wouldn't be a bad idea to try it.

The Portland Telegram makes the assertion that only three members of the United States-Senate, out of a total of ninety, are millionaires. It names Cameron, Wetmore and McMillan as the three with seven figures opposite their names. Is not this just a triffe severe on our portly neighbor who represents the State of Santa Monica in that body?

Georgia has a new feature of civilization, known as progressive justice It is applicable to negroes only. When one of them gets convicted of drunk enness or petty larceny, the police

him up every two or three days on some other charge till the unfortunate contraband has served a total of three or four months. The system of fees prevalent in that State offers a new prize at each stage of that progressive game; and the justices and constables are on the high road to becoming millionaires.

Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt has so far recovered from his attack of paralysis as to be able to sign checks with his right hand. So says one of the New York dailles. Still, most people who are acquainted with the Vanderbilt family are inclined to the belief that a check signed with the left hand would be good for its face value even after bank hours.

There are, it is said, over three million bachelors in the United States, and it is suggested that they should be taxed \$10 apiece. Such a tax would yield the neat revenue of \$30,000,000 annually. It would not entirely wipe out the Gorman-Wilson deficit, but it would go a long way toward doing so, and would serve 'em just right.

If Weyler is recalled from Cuba by the Spanish government, as is threatened, who is to furnish those fanciful West Indian romances with which the readers of American newspapers have if not impossible, to fill Weyler's place in the field of imaginative literature.

The practice that some Sacramento correspondents have acquired of referring to railroad lobbyists as "Huntington's hatchet men," has evoked a storm of righteous indignation from the highbinders doing business in Chinatown. They are forninst the

Nothing says as much for a city as the good condition of the public streets. There are now \$400,000 worth of civil suits pending against Kansas City, growing out of bodily damages susstained by various citizens through defective sidewalks.

It is said that several prominent New York politicians of the Tammany persuasion have taken to the study of Greek. With those who have Mc's and O's forninst their surnames this is wholly unnecessary. It is their native

Russell Sage, the venerable bombproof stock broker of New York, is, said to be laid up with an attack of nervous prostration, caused by his failure to purchase an \$8 overcoat for \$7.50. He will recover.

Merced proposes to establish a cream ery. Nothing like it. There are men in this country now who can take "the milk of human kindness" and make it into skim-milk cheese. Give 'em a chance.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. The particular joy of the juvenile as set out in pictures and rhythmical story in these later years is the "Brownies" of Palmer Cox. There is not a little lad or a tot of a girl in all the land who has not reveled in the famous adventures of the Dude, the Dutchman, the Vankes the Palkersen of the Dutchman, the Yankee, the Policeman, the Brownie twins, the Chinaman, the Indian and the other incurrent. twins, the Chinaman, the Indian and the other innumerable fantastic characters which Mr. Cox has created and plctured with a facile pencil and a ready pen in the pages of St. Nicholas. These little men have become fixed figures in the literature of the world, and generations of bables yet unborn will follow their fortunes, shudder at their marvelous escapes by flood and field, and laugh at their antics in the years to come, when their creator is only a memory.

only a memory.

And now Mr. Cox has set his manikins upon the stage, and Malcolm Douglas has put together a musical score to fit the conditions of their exploitation thereon, and a happy and enthusiastic audience saw and heard and laughed and applauded them last night at the Los Angeles Theater in a way that must have warmed the cockles of the authors' hearts. This is the argument of the Brownie

Anna is the argument of the Brownie Extravaganza:

Titania, Queen of the Fairles, is betrothed to Prince Fformel, adopted son of Stanislaus, King of the Brownie band. The wedding is to be celebrated on the eve of May, and the Brownies have come to Fairyiand to take part in the general joliification. Dragonfel, a wicked demon, and his retinue, come to the wedding, bearing gifts and disguised as friends and well-wishers. While the Brownies and Fays are entertaining the Prince and Queen with song and dance, an alarm comes to the palace that Titania and her ladies in waiting have been carried away by Dragonfel, who thus seeks to prevent the power for good which would result from an alliance of the Brownies and Fays. The Brownies build a raft and follow. A terrific storm imperils their safety. Dragonfel appears in his seacharlot, carrying the Queen to his enchanted island.

By means of a raft the Brownies reach the enchanted island, and find much to mystify them. The Brownies hide in the outer halis of the castle, while their King and some of his followers, disguised as a German street band, gain entrance to Dragonfel's presence. At a favorable moment they make an attack on Dragonfel, and are about to conquer when he calls on Vulcan to bring earthquake and ruin. The castle falls in ruins, the mountain becomes a volcano, and lava is seen pouring down its side to overwhelm and destroy the Brownies. The Brownie fire department comes to the rescue.

Daylight finds the Brownies and toll in the mines. Here they remain until the Russian Brownie explodes a dynamite bomb with which the peace of the whole band has been continually threatened. The explosion causes the caving in of a rift in which Dragonfel happens to be, and in the mean time Euphrosyne has come to the rescue of the Queen and the Fays, Florimel and Titania are united, while the mines gradually disappear and a glorious view of the break of day in Brownieland.

The specialty features comprise that clever juvenile, Gertie Carlisle, in a medley of graceful dances a

posturings; Newhouse and Waffle as "wandering minstrels," who play the mandolin and guitar with such consummate skill that they were given a half-dozen recalls; a German band that is so ludicrous that it kept the house shricking with laughter; the Borani brothers who do numerous feats of tumbling that are seemingly impossi-

ble, and, as a finale, the flying ballet, which reveals a number of female figures floating from side to side across the stage in mid-air, amid the shimmer of diaphanous draperies and the sheen and shine of spangles. These fairy-like figures are flooded with vari-colored lights, which make the spectacle one of the most attractive imaginable.

The company is a clever one. Marie Celeste makes a beautiful Queen and sings in act two a couple of interpolated ballads with splendid expression and a voice of rare quality. Chic and dainty Ida Mulle, the poeket edition, of comic opera primma donna, is just as fascinating and cherming as ever. She has a congental part a Dame Drusilds, most of it. Ida Brooks is a handsome and shapely Prince Fforimel, with a statuseque sort of beauty, and there are other pretty women who dance sing and make the sort of stage pic-tures pleasing to the admiring eye no and

ond.

The Brownies are a jolly lot and are made up in simulation of the little chaps of Mr. Cox's stories, with round bellies and alim legs, and their antics are highly diverting. Frank Deshon, who is the ruler of the band and is called King Stanislaus, is a comedian of ability who sings a topical song with great spirit and plays the role wish an unction that is delightful. There are a group of big deviis with Robert Cummings at their head as Dragonfel, who loom up among the Brownies and the Fays like tall pines in the chaparral. The music is catchy and gay, and the production as a whole classes with the best spectacular extravaganzas ever production as a whole classes with the best spectacular extravaganzas ever presented here. There was a good house last night, and the merits of the per-formance warrant a succession of them the remainder of the week. There will be a special matinee this afternoon and the usual two performances on Satur-day.

ATTRACTION TONIGHT. Charles H. Yale's "Devil's Auction," which opens at Hazard's Pavillon tonight, with a special matine tomorrow and a performance tomorrow night, has enrolled among its members some very beautiful women, notable among whom are: Mildred Holden, Madge Torrance, Annie Hilton, and Mayme Mayo, who represent the American contingent; Emilia Bartolette, Adele Amon and Marla Fregato, who hail from Sunny Italy, and Lucia Cuerbo, a Spanish beauty, while there are others from England, Poland, Hungary, Russia and almost all the known points of the civilized globe. That the "Forever Devil's Auction" is cosmopolitan in its general make-up is certainly indisputable. Miss Mayme Mayo, who enacts the role of Janet, the milkmaid, is a clever singer and dancing souolled among its members some very acts the role of Janet, the milkmald, is a clever singer and dancing soubrette, who possesses that which is supposed to be the important factors to success, namely, beautiful and magnetic appearance, excellent voice, clear and distinct delivery and undoubted ability. We are assured that Miss Mayo will prove a surprise to those accustomed to seeing the soubrette aspirants of the average farce comedy and melodramatic production.

COMING ATTRACTION. Commend ing Monday, January 11, Grau's world-famous Opera Company, will play a two weeks' engagement at the Los Angeles Theater, at popular prices. This is said to be the greatest repertoire opera company in America. They will give a change of opera at every performance. This is something new for the Los Angeles Theater, and should serve to attract the unusual attention of theater-goers.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Mme. Adelina Patti has arrived in Paris.

New York.

A Philadelphia dispatch says that Prof.

William H. Pancoast, a distinguished physician and surgeon, died there Sunday night aged 64.

The Comptroller of the Currency has declared a dividend of 50 per cent. in favor of the creditors of the failed National Bank of Illinois of Chicago, payable January 20.

According to a Toledo (0.)' telegram, a dispatch sent out from Albany, N. Y. stated that the Miburn Wagon Company had gone into the hands of a receiver. The statement is an error.

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The French Acclimation Society has just distributed to various institutions and pisci-

distributed to various institutions and praci-culturists a quantity of California salmon spawn which was sent it by the United States Fishery Commission.

In the suit of Jao Francisco de Frietas and Tyndale Palmer against the Daily News for \$50,000 damages for alleged libel, a Jury in the United States court at Chicago brought in a verdict awarding the complainants \$1000 damages.

George T. Nicholson, general passenger agent of the Santa Fé system, has been ap-

February 15.

The Secretary of the Treasury has awarded the contract for building a vessel for the lighthouse service to Wolf & Zewicker of Portland, Or., at \$73,000 to be finished within ten months. The vessel will be stationed at San Francisco.

Georgo Crocker, the California millionaire, has purchased the property at Nos. 70, 72 and 74 Broadway and Nos. 9, 11 and 18 New atreet, New York city, from Peter, Marie and William Alexander Smith, for \$1,600,000. He proposes to erect a modern fire-proof office building.

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The funeral service over the body of the late Catholic Archbishop Fabre was the most gorgeous that has been seen at Montreal in years, and was attended by thirty-two bishops, including all the bishops of Canada, with the exception of Mgr. Cleary of Kingston, who was ill.

A bill for a receiver was filed in the Circuit Court at Chicago yesterday against the Calumet State Bank of Blue Island, which made an assignment last week. The Auditor asserts that the assignment was the result of collusion among officers. The assignee is M. C. Eaumes, one of the officers.

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A Trenton (N. J.) dispatch says George Sands, alias Dr. Clark, and Mrs. Mary Knapp, recently convicted of passing silver counterfeit dollars at Hoboken, were sen-tenced yesterday, the former to seven years in the New Jersey State penitentiary, the latter to Essex County penitentiary for four

latter to Essex County penitentiary for four years.

A Boston dispatch says the Citizens' Committee appointed at a mass-meeting held ten days ago to act on behalf of the employés of the West End street railway, who were discharged for participation in the recent strike, met yesterday afternoon and issued a long manifesto to the public, acknowledging defeat.

defeat.

In response to a letter signed by over eighty noblemen and gentlemen eminent in literature, actence and art, including Mr. Gladstone, Herbort Spencer has consented that a fund shall be opened to paint his portrait for the English nation. Hubert Harkimer, R.A., has been chosen as the artist.

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The complimentary banquet at London to Sir Charles Tupper and to Hon. Duncan Gillies and Sir Robert, G. Herbert, agents respectively for the colonies of Victoria and Tasmania in London, at the St. George's Club, last night, was a most successful affair. Maj.-Gen. Sir Owen Burne presided and 150 guests sat down to the table.

A Milwaukee dispatch says that a final settlement of all interests under the will of Geoling-Hiles, who died about a year ago, has been made. All litigation has been for feeding and an agreement reached between all the persons interested for a distribution of the property. The settlement disposes of all claims. The estate is estimated at between \$1,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

tween \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

A Milwaukee dispatch says the will of Mrs. Elizabeth Pfister has been filed in the proba te court. The will is brief, disposing of an estate represented to be valued at more than \$1.500,000 in less than five hundred words. Three special bequests are made to Ross. Bertha and John Christman, nicees and a pephew of the deceased, and the restdue is to be equally divided between

PORTING RECORD,

LOOKS LIKE A FIGHT.

CORBETT-FITZSIMMONS MATCH PROGRESSES RAPIDLY.

I Smith Has Been Selected for Sinkeholder in the Great Fistle Contest.

STUART POSTS HIS GUARANTEE.

FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FORFEIT IF NO SCRAP OCCURS.

harkey and McAulific to Exhibit on the Stage-Lasker and Steinits to Resume Play-Ingleside Races.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—This afternoon Dan Stuart met Al Smith, who was agreed upon as final stakeholder in the Corbett-Fitzsimmons match, posted with him \$5000 as a gus of good faith.

of good taith.

This money will form a part of the purse in the event of the fight taking place. Should Stuart fail to bring the men together as agreed upon, the \$5000 will be forfeited.

Ingleside Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—The weather was fine at ingleside and the track good. Summaries:
Six furlongs: Meadow Lark won, Scimitar second, Pecksniff third; time

Seven furlongs, handicap: Good Times won, Estaca second, Miss Baker third;

won, Estaca second, Miss Baker third; time 1:30%.
One mile: Schiller won, Alvarado second, Yankee Doodle third; time 1:42.
Six furlongs: Potentate won, Miss Ross second, Brametta third; time 1:14%. Seven furlongs: Benamela won, Mo-

1:29% One and an eighth miles: St. Lee won, Captive second, Ostler Joe third; time 1:55%.

Going on the Stage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Thomas Sharkey and Jack McAuliffe have de-cided to emulate the example of other distinguished puglists, and will en-deavor to accumulate dollars by exdeavor to accumulate dollars by ex-hibiting themselves as stars on the stage. Danny Lynch conceived the idea, and has ordered a tank drama that will provide a part for each of the fighters. Between acts the two will give a boxing exhibition. The tour will include the Coast from San Diego to Seattle

Thrown from His Horse.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—While hunting with the Meynell hounds today, Rt. Hon. Henry Chaplin, formerly president of the Board of Agriculture, who was one of the Prince of Wales's party at the Duke of Sutherland's seat in Trentoham Hall, was thrown from his horse and seriously injured. That Pretty Lot

CLEVELAND (O.,) Jan. 5.—The score in ne six-day bicycle race for women riders at the end of tonight's racing. was Farnsworth. Anderson, Brown an' Keys, 75 miles, 9 laps; Calgren, 6 miles, 8 laps; Allen, 75 miles, 9 laps.

MOSCOW, Jan. 5.—An armistice up to next Monday has been arranged be-tween Lasker and Steinitz. Play in the championship chess match will be re-sumed next Monday.

STORMED THE PARSONAGE

MICH., ASSAIL THEIR PRIEST.

her Bogacki Surrenders After All Windows and Doors are Battered In—Police Unable to Control the Mob-One Man Shot.

BAY CITY (Mich.,) Jan. 5 .- A thousand warring Poles, who are deter-mined Father Bogacki shall not offi-ciate as their priest, attacked the parsonage of St. Stanilaus Church today, storming it over an hour. All windows were broken and doors battered down. The entire police force was unable to quiet the mob. At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon Father Bogacki surrendered He was driven to another priest's house. The police took possession of the parsonage. Joseph Yochomovich was shot and fatally mjured. Detective Fitzgerald, who was guarding the beleaguered pastor, was arrested and charged with firing the shot.

Mrs. Jospeh Torskowski was shot in the leg. When the riot began Father Bogacki anda dozen guards, who, with him, retreated to the second story and fired on the leaders of the mob. Stones and clubs and other missiles were used as weapons by the attacking crowd and by those who undertook to defend the house.

Two of the priest's bodyguard, Jospeh Stachinski and Alex Yonkowitz, jumped from windows and tried to escape, but the mob pounded them into insensibility in sight of a squad of policemen. The row which has been on for nine months and began with demonstrations against Father Matthe leg. When the riot began Father

on for nine months and began with demonstrations against Father Mat-kowski, Father Bogacki's predecessor, broke out again through the priests re-fusal yesterday to bury a deceased member of the warring faction from the church. Joseph Barkowlack is badly wounded in the breast and can-not live.

GAVE REBATES.

Alleged Illegal Acts of Two Former Santa Fe Officials.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—In the United States Court, Judge Grosscup took up the trial of Joseph W. Rinehart, expresident, and John A. Hanley, extraffic manager of the Santa Fé Rallway, for alleged deviation from the established freight rates of the road. The indictments were found over three The indictments were found over three years ago, based upon shipping transactions during the summer and fall of 1892. They charge that Rinehart and Hanley gave a rebate of 35 per car to Jesse Thompson and W. P. Jenkins, managers of the Hammond Packing Company, on shipments of cattle from Kansas City.

In the prosecution, Gen. Black, United States District Attorney, is assisted by James A. Shields of Dubuqus. Iowa, special attorney of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The defense is represented by W. S. Forrest and James W. Duncan. The selection of a jury is in progress.

A Hot Reception.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 5.—Beiros Effini, an Armenian recently appointed sub-Kaikaima of Scharsanijak, was ascassinated two days after his arrival there.

THE WEATHER

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 5.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.18; at 5 p.m., 30.63. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed bl. deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 50 per cent.; 5 p.m., 47 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 75 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Character of weather, clear.

Barometer reduced to sea level.

The Comes

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

olives has increased. More power to the Australian! She is not only a per-fect lady, but a bird.

The Harbor Board, having heard all that everybody wanted to say about harbors, is now investigating for itself. Engineers employed by the board are boring in San Pedro Harbor. Hunt-ington's engineers did their boring in the Chamber of Commerce assembly-

boring in San Pedre Harbor. Huntington's engineers did their boring in the Chamber of Commerce assemblyroom.

And now comes Westminster with what is claimed to be the largest pumpling grown in interest the series of the property of the property of the commerce to serve as a gilded dome, the other to be preceived as an illustration of the excessive habits of growth of the citrus fruits of Westminster.

Some of the ambitious citizens of the desert are talking of asking for the creation of a new county composed of the northeastern portion of Los Angeles county, the southeastern portion of Westminster.

Some of the ambitious citizens of the other are talking of asking for the desert or the creation of a new county composed of the northeastern portion of Los Angeles county, the southeastern portion of Los Angeles county, the county of the county o out "where he is at" concerning this dam, it ought to be a relief to the people whom he is supposed to represent and who will have to pay the bills.

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MURDERER DOWNEN.

Pacific Const Record of a Man Under Sentence of Death. Chief of Police Glass yesterday re-eived a photograph and description of

Downen, alias J. H. Lewis, from Russell of the Denver (Colo.) police department.

Downen is now under sentence of death for the murder of a man named

Ashworth. The condemned man is a criminal with a long record, and is well known on the Pacific Coast. Most of his life since 1874 has been spent in prisons.

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Downen was sentenced from a northern town to San Quentin for twenty-two years on March 16, 1874, for stage-robbery. He made his escape October 1, 1878, but was recaptured two months later. Then Gov. Stoneman commuted his sentence to ten and a half years, and he served the time and was released September 16, 1884.

Downen, it appears, could not keep from evil ways, and on October 17, 1885, he was sentenced from Santa Clara county to seven years in San Quentin for robbery. He escaped September 12, 1889, but five days afterward was caught and tried in Marin county for escaping. He was sentenced to two years more on that charge, and served in the penitentiary until he was discharged, December 18, 1892. Then he went north and committed burglary in Bpokane county, Wash. He was arrested and sentenced to Walla Walla Prison for two years. He was discharged August 28, 1895, and two months later went to Denver.

From that time until October of last year the police department was annoyed by a great number of highway robberies. No less than fifty were committed. The robber confined his operations to the suburbs, and invariably worked alone. He therefore came to be known as "Lone highwayman."

The authorities made a desperate effort to capture the criminal, and on July 27, Acting Chief of Police Tuttle and Detective Duffield encountered him. The robber opened fire on the officers and killed their horse. They returned, the fire, but Downen escaped, and continued fils nefarious work until October 19, 1896, when he was arrested on a charge of highway robbery by Detectives Loomis and Burlew. The detectives afterward located his room, and there found a great quantity of the property resulting from the holdups. The prisoner gave the name of Downen, and when confronted with the evidence of his guilt, made a remarkable confession. He admitted that he was the subset of crime in California would fill a volume. H

Heating Houses, Churches, etc. With het air is made a specialty by P. B Brayas, No. 122 East Fourth street.

gestions for a Pinished Pian of the Park—Comprehensive Con-tour Survey Should Be Made to Guide the Landscape Gardeners.

Batisfactory reports of the work of the Australian ladybird come from the Santa Barbara olive groves. The scale has been destroyed, and the crop of olives has increased. More power to

in that connection the following letter is particularly applicable.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31, 1896.

Hon. G. J. Griffith, Los Angeles, Cal.,
—Dear Sir: Permit me to express my high appreciation of a holiday gift of a park tract to the city of Los Angeles, and to congratulate its good people on the acquirement of so magnificent a contribution to their health and pleasure. The value of this great boon is the more apparent when we consider that each succeeding year for all time, will but add to its beauty and grandeur.

Very respectfully yours, MAJ. FRED A. CLARK.

MUSICAL MENTION.

Carried an Arsenal.

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Officer Henderson was walking along First street about 10 o'clock last night when he saw a man leaning against a telegraph post. His actions aroused the officer's suspicion and he approached and searched the man. A big revolver and a pair of brass knuckles were found in his possession. He was sent to the City Jall on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and there gave the name of George Tyler.

Dexter Was Injured.

The person who furnished information over the telephone about the drunken row at La Cañada Sunday night made an error in stating that young Arnold, the son of the owner of the ranch, was the injured man. The fight was between two ranch hands named Dexter and Barker, both of whom are now at La Cañada. Nothing new was learned yesterday in regard to Dexter's condition.

Frederick G. Davis, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, who has been in the hospital at that institution for several days, suffering from delirium tremens, was found dead in his bed yesterday morning. Coroner Campbell was notified and he held an inquest. The jury found that his death was due to alcoholism.

The clerk of the Supreme Court has telegraphed to J. A. Lewis that the case of Lewis against Colgan, an application for a writ ordering Controller Colgan to pay certain fees for experting books, has been decided in favor of Lewis. The case has been pending a long time.

A Bad Newsboy,

THE MOST BEAUTIFUL PLACE California is San Diego and Con

GRIFFITH PARK.

NECESSITY OF A PROPER TOPO GRAPHICAL SURVEY.

In a short time all the lands given by G. J. Grimth for a park will become the property of the city by legal trans-fer, the lower portion having been deeded yesterday. The whole tract will be over 3000 acres, and the work of surveying the lines of the remaining portion will be visconiusly propertied

dicated.

The surveys should be commenced at the earliest possible date in order that the final plan and working sheets may be prepared and completed by the time that a money appropriation can be made available for the improvement of "Griffith Park."

A musicale was given at Hotel Clar-endon last evening for the benefit of the talented young violinist, Louis Angel-oty. The programme, which was en-joyably rendered, was participated in by Master Angeloty, his sister, Mathilde and his uncle, R. Angeloty.

The proprietor of a lodging-house at No. 610 South Spring street reported to police headquarters last night that there were two trunks, a baby carriage and two tank gauges in front of his place, and he did not know to whom they belonged. The patrol wagon removed the luggage to police headquarters, where it awaits a claimant.

Too Much Whisky.

Harry Hunter, a newsboy who lives at the Newsboys' Home, was arrested by Detective Goodman last night and locked up at the City Jail on a charge of burglary.

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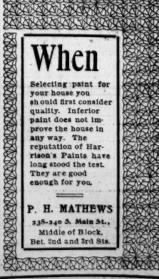
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All those who are in need of and raiment will please call at Carl Sawvell's, No. 220 South Hill street.

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Charles Parrish was fined \$5 cm Court yesterday. Revival services are being held in Simpson Tabernacle. W. W. Bland of Illinois will conduct the meeting to-night

The Santa Fé limited, due here at 6 o'clock, was about thirteen hours late last night, because of a snowstorm in

An alarm of fire was turned in from Sixth and Pearl streets early last even-ing, but there was no fire save in a pile of brush.

The regular meeting of the Los Angeles W.C.T.U. will be held today at 2:30 p.m. in the First Eaptist Church, corner Sixth and Broadway.

The Logan W.R.C. will install its officers on Friday evening at Bixby Mall, No. 610½ South Spring street. A social, open meeting, with a good programme, will be held.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Pascal Steffes, E. M. de Motte, C. R. Coe, Mrs. G. W. White, Mrs. Ann Her-rick, Mrs. J. Brown, Arthur Spear. Griffith J. Griffith, the donor of 2000 acres to the city for park purposes, executed a deed to the property yesterday, and the instrument was immediately filed for record in the office of Recorder Hodgman.

The masquerade ball given by Stanton Woman's Relief Corps, No. 16, last night was attended by about one hundred couples en masque. At the close of the dancing an oyster supper was served. The Committee of Arrangements was composed of Lizzie H. Copeland, Francis Austin and Mary Snyder.

PERSONALS.

Fred M. Seibly of Redlands is in the J. H. Tolfree of Mojave is at the Na-

C. F. Frakes of Phoenix is at the Na-C. L. Canfield of San Francisco is at the Nadeau. J. N. Russell of St. Louis is at the Westminster.

E. J. Whitney of St. Louis is registered at the Nadeau. John A. Mathlesin of Santa Barbara is at the Westminster. Nathan W. Blanchard of Santa Paula

is a guest of the Westminster.

J. W. Hawkins and N. H. Hitt of Santa Ana are at the Westminster. Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Adam of Birningham, Pa., are at the Westminster. Henry Clay and wife of New Bedord, Mass., are guests of the West-

minster.

Mrs. E. M. Schnabel of Portland is visiting her son, Joseph Schnabel of J. D. Potter, a prominent manufac-turing man of Columbus, O., is at the

G. Ripamonti of Italy, accompanied by G. de Barros of Paris, are quartered at the Hollenbeck.

at the Hollenbeck.

Capt. Oscar J. Brown of the United States navy resigtered at the Hollenbeck yesterday from Georgia.

N. Emmett May returned yesterday afternoon from the north, where he has been spending the holidays.

John A. Gill, general agent for the Vanderbilt system of railways freight department, is in the city looking after orange shipments.

orange shipments.

R. R. Ritchie, newly-appointed general agent for the Pacific Coast of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

W. H. Hamilton, general agent of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad fraight depositions. freight department, is registered at the Hollenbeck from San Francisco.

Death of a Well-known Engineer. The Portland papers announce the death of Col. Isaac W. Smith in that city last week. The cause of his death is not definitely known. It was a complication of troubles incident to old age, aggravated by a serious attack of malaria.

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He was about 68 years of age, and had never been married. He made his home with relatives in Portland, where he has lived for many years.

Col. Smith was appointed from Los Angeles by Gov. Stoneman as a member of the first Railroad Commission of this State after the creation of that bureau. He was for many years chief engineer of the water works system of Portland, and is well known everywhere on the Pacific Coast.

T. J. Shackleford Dead.

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News was received yesterday of the sudden death of Thomas J. Shackleford at Visalia, on Monday. Mr. Shackleford left Los Angeles, after a visit of some days, on Friday last, and at the time is reported to have been in poor health. On the way to his home in San Francisco, he stopped at Visalia, where he formerly resided. Mr. Shackleford was well-known throughout the State as an attorney and had served in the Legislature, acting also at one time as clerk of the Senate. He was also prominent in Masonic circles. At the time of his death he was 55 years of age and leaves a widow and daughter, and two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Blanchard and Mrs. Fitzhenry.

Where Did They Go?

Where Did They Go?

OMAHA, Jan. 5.—President S. H. H. Clark arrived from St. Louis this morning, after the meeting of the Union Pacific receivers. Receiver Ollver W. Mink stated that only routine matters were considered. The receivers leave for Salt Lake Thursday to witness the last acts segregating the Oregon Short Line and Northern from the gradually-diminishing Union Pacific system. Mink said a company had been formed to purchase the Short Line at foreclosure sale. It is thought it will be operated by a management friendly to the Union Pacific.

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INSTALLATIONS.

ESTERS OF AMERICA.

Newly-elected Officers Were In-stalled Last Night by Several Lodges and Courts of Fraternal Orders, and After the Installations the Members Made Merry

The several lodges of Knights Pythias had a wholesale installation at Pythial Castle Hall, No. 100 North Spring street. Deputy Grand Chancel-lor George S. Adolph acted as installing officer, with Past Grand Chancellor James Murray as grand prelate; Past Grand Chancellor W. T. Myers as grand master of work, E. L. Chitten-den as grand master at arms, W. H. Routzahn as grand vice-chancellor. The officers installed were those of Gauntlet Lodge, No. 129, Samson Lodge, No. 148, Marathon, No. 182, and Los

Angeles, No. 205. COURT FRANCAISE. The following officers of Court Fran-caise, No. 97, Foresters of America, were installed at Druid's Hall: P. Hervonsheon, past chief ranger; J. M. Harotcarena, chief ranger; J. M. Pulssegur, sub-chief ranger; George Lacour, treasurer; J. Apion, financial secretary; F. Seama, recording secretary; M. Boisseram, senior woodward; P. Sormano, junior woodward: G. Grabet, senior beadle; M. Bertrand, junior beadle; C. L. Terry, A. Carzaux, L. Massy, trustees; Dr. J. A. Le Doux, physician; Viole & Lopzich, druggists. The installation ceremônies were in charge of H. Clary, deputy grand chief were installed at Druid's Hall: P. harge of H. Clary, deputy grand chief

COURT COLUMBUS.

Court Columbus, No. 102, Foresters of America, composed of Spanish citizens America, composed of Spanish citizens of Los Angeles, held a public installation at Music Hall. The exercises of the evening began with an overture by the Mexican Philharmonic Band of twenty pieces, all the members belonging to the court. The exercises were in charge of A. Orfila, past grand chief ranger, who installed the following officers: M. Garcia, past grand chief ranger; B. N. Olivas, chief ranger; J. A. Bernal, sub-chief ranger; J. A. Domingo, treasurer; F. R. Sepulveda, financial secretary; A. G. Rivera, recording secretary; A. G. Rivera, recording secretary; G. M. Guzman, senior woodward; C. E. Lugo, senior beadle; E. Romero, junior beadle: F. Gonzales, trustee; Dr. A. Gomez, physician; F. T. Rimpan, druggist. Following the installation a short programme was rendered, comprehense selections by the Mexican druggist. Following the installation a short programme was rendered, comprising selections by the Mexican Philharmonic Band, vocal music, addresses and recitations. The Reception Committee consisted of F. A. Maurico, S. Sepulveda, Hon. A. Orfila, Dr. A. Gomez; Floor Director, A. G. Rivera: assistants, M. Garcia, F. Sepulveda. C. Lugo. The entire affair was conducted in the Spanish language.

COURT TEMPLE.

The installation of the officers of Court Temple, No. 510, Independent Order of Foresters, was conducted by High Chief Ranger G. A. McEifresh, issisted by Los Angeles Encampment, No. 17, Royal Foresters. Following were the officers installed: S. R. McCreery, court deputy; H. S. Eberle, chief ranger: E. G. Akin, vice-ranger: J. F. Sweetman, recording , secretary: E. A. Beck, financial secretary: J. C. Rockhill, treasurer: W. H. Hennegan, chaplain; George L. Cole, L. Dearth, physicians: H. C. Terrell, senior woodward; Thomas Easton, senior beadle: J. A. Traynor, junior beadle: J. A. Traynor, junior beadle: H. R. Maybin, musician; H. D. Alfonso, S. R. Killuns, trustees. The Committee on Arrangements was H. S. Eberle, H. R. Maybin, J. C. Rockhill, F. W. Wallace, S. R. McCreery and E. A. Beck. COURT TEMPLE.

About 11 o'clock last night fire was An alarm was turned in and the de-partment promptly responded and quenched the flames.

On a Charge of Mayhem claude Van Norman was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of mayhem. The complainant is E. P. Goetz, who swore to a complaint Monday. Van Norman's examination was set for January 19, and bail was fixed at \$1000, which was promptly furnished. He Stole Pigeons.

Vito Cilli, who was arrested by Deputy Constable Mugnemi Monday for the alleged theft of some pigeons, was found guilty of petty larceny in the Police Court and will be sentenced to-

Little Lost Child. Sady Silverman, a little girl, was

citizen yesterday afternoon. The little one was lost, and the citizen took her to police headquarters, where her mother found her a little later. Buchanan Plended Guilty.

C. T. Buchanan, the saloon-keeper who was arrested at the instance of the Parkhurst League on a charge of violating the license ordinance, pleaded guilty before Justice Morrison yester-day and was fined \$1.

Sent to Whittier. Harry Segger, the horse and buggy thief, was to have had his examination yesterday on a charge of grand larceny, but he was ordered sent to Whittier.

Licensed to Wed.

Frederick Keen, native of England. aged 25, and Dora C. Crouse, native of Indiana, aged 18; both residents of

Pasadena.
Charles Oscar Stevenson, aged 28, and Aileen Elizabeth Potts, aged 23; both natives of California and residents of Los Angeles.
Louis A. Kork, native of Ohio, aged 24, and Alice Rebecca Crouse, native of Indiana, aged 17; both residents of Pasadena.
John W. Moxley, native of Canada, aged 32, and Etta Vina, native of Ohio, aged 28; both residents of Los Angeles.

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Joseph Douglas, native of Scotland.
aged 32, and Ida M. Kratzer, native of
Oregon, aged 24; both residents of Los
Appeles Angeles.

Earl D. Boone, native of Arkansas, aged 25, and Mary Elizabeth Smith, native of Illinois, aged 29; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD. TOWNSEND-At residence, January 5, 1897, James M. Townsend, a native of Kentucky, aged 77 years. Funeral from parlors of Kregelo & Bresee, aged 77 years.
Funeral from parlors of Kregelo & Bresee, corner Sixth and Broadway, today at 2 p.m. Friends invited to attend.

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Extraordinary Millinery Sale.

Of all the Millinery price cutting ever accomplished, this last stroke

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Ladies' Suits

Ladies' Suits

Ladies' Jackets

Made of cotch mixtures; black and tan beavers. Very latest box coat style with high collar.

An elegant line worth \$5.00 table. No sale now at.......

Made of black and tan English Melton cloth and black Irish frieze. \$7.50 inlaid with velvet. \$12.50

Ladies' Jackets

Children's Cloaks In white, navy blue and fancy colored Elderdown, large collars trimmed with white \$1.50 garments today at.....

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Good heavy white dinner plates, each &c.
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Cambric Embroidery, 2% to 4 faches wide, 12%c kind; today Embroidery Cambric, 3 to 5 inches wide, 15c kind; today

Embroidery Cambric, 31/4 to 6 inches wide, 20c kinds; today.....

Silk Crepes

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814c Narrow Cambric Embroidery at ...50

In black, white, olive, nile, brown, 15c tan, mahogany and heliotrope, regulation 35c yd sort; today for...

In colors, single and double width, plain and chenille dots, 20c and 25c grades: today for

5c. 64c,

In balls, all colors. 10c kind at 5c.

3 yards on spool, dozen for 10c.

3 and 4inch changeable silk 15c

Stamped for center pieces, 15c

Fine white hemstitched with embroidered corners in white and colors, 10c grade; today, at............

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Embroidery Silk

Linen Squares

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Hose Supporters for ladies, fancy colored satin, see kinds; today

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Wrights' Underwear This is the genuine fleece lined sanitary quality, patent stitched seams and wonderful values Camelshair Underwear

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Knitted scarlet wool, well made and finished and very extra quality; on sale today at Derby Ribbed Underwear

All wool, in fancy mixed colorings, nicely finished and with almost double tedays' Knit Underwear All wool, natural grey, extra long ribbed anklet and waist, 98c erry special, worth today

Draperies.

Chenille Portieres 8¼ yards long, with handsome dado and top border, drapery fringe both ends and \$2.00 today the pair.....

Derby Portieres
Full size for an 8-foot opening, satinfinish and 12-inch top drapery fringe, rich dado and border and really worth 86,00 pair; today pair Tapestry Portieres Exira wide, novelty oriental design, fringed both ends and sultable for couch or hanging, genuine \$12 to quality; \$7.95

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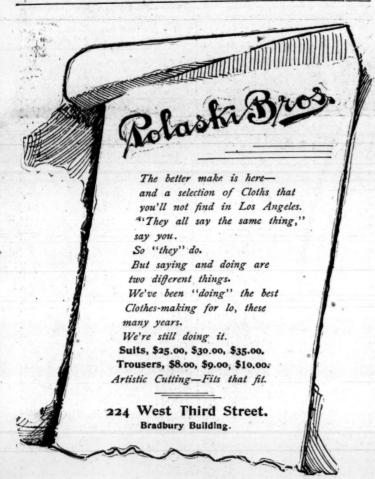
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Just for a few days.

Twenty-six days more till some

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VAGRANTS COMPLAIN

CHARGE THAT THEY WERE OUT-RAGEOUSLY TREATED.

Three Tramps Sent Up from Pasa dena Say They Were Laboring Men and Had Paid Their Way.

AN ERRONEOUS COMMITMENT.

PASADENA OFFICIALS TELL A DIF-

Buck and Cole are Old Jail-birds and the Contents of Elder's Pockets Cover Him with Suspicion.

It was reported to The Times Mon day afternoon that three prisoners, William Buck, Chris Cole and George W. Elder, who had been committed to County Jail for vagrancy by Justice Rossiter of Pasadena, had sent a letter by the jailer requesting an in-terview with the grand jury. It was also said that they had been made the victims of official injustice and that their cases had been railroaded through the court without allowing them any opportunity to disprove the charges

On its face the story looked plausi-ble, but it lacked verification. A thor-ough investigation of the cases of the three prisoners discredits their story completely, although it reveals the fact that one of them, Chris Cole, was in a fair way to spend twenty additional days in jail through a clerical error in making out his commitment from the

minutes of the court proceedings. Buck, Cole and Elder were seen at the County Jall Monday night, and told their stories with great glibness

Buck said that he and Cole were arrested in Pasadena New Year's night while sleeping in an unused barn shed. while sleeping in an unused barn shed. When arraigned in court the next day, Buck claims that, after pleading guilty, he represented to Judge Rossiter that he had a job of work for Saturday with a Mrs. Craig, who lived on Madison avenue, and asked that an officer be sent out to see if his statement were true. The court agreed to do so and postponed sentence until the afternoon session. At the afternoon hearing, he was sentenced to serve twenty days in the County Jail, without any investigation having been made of his claims.

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Buck's companion, Chris Cole, stated that he told Judge Rossiter that he had the 'half promise'' of a job at Chapman after New Year's day, and that he had paid his way and had 30 cents in his pocket when arrested, with which to pay for his breakfast in Pasadena before starting for Chapman. He pleaded guilty, however, to the charge of vagrancy and was sentenced to serve ten days. When he arrived in Los Angeles, Officer Slater told him that he was in for thirty days, and the jailer's record shows that was the term named in the commitment. Cole admitted that he had served out another sentence of ten days from Pasadena and was committed to the County Jail on November 30, but since his release, he asserted, he had been doing odd jobs about Pasadena and had not engaged in begging.

The third prisoner who assumes to have a grievance is George W. Elder, a well-appearing young chap, fairly dressed and of engaging manners. He said he was taken in custody by Marshal Lacy on Saturday at the Santa Fé depot. After his arrest the Marshal told him that a complaint had been made against him from the Hotel Green for begging. When he was was searched, the officers had found \$1.80 in his pockets. At the very time that the officers were going through his clothes, Justice Rossiter came into the room, and Elder claims that he asked that an officer be sent out with him to give him a chance to prove that he had paid for his meals and his lodgings. Judges Rossiter came into the room.

asked that an officer be sent out with him to give him a chance to prove that he had paid for his meals and his lodgings. Judge Rossiter said he would see about that in the courtroom. Elder says he was taken into court with a crowd of others, and, when arraigned, pleaded guilty. In the afternoon he was sentenced to forty days without a hearing, and after entering his objection, he requested a jury trial, which was promptly refused. Finally Judge Rossiter said he would take the case under advisement for five days, for which time Elder would have to go to jail. When he was sent over last Saturday his commitment simply read Saturday his commitment simply read

Elder claimed that he had money and was looking for work in the orchards, and was on the Santa Fé platform on

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An examination of the court docket kept by Justice Rossiter showed that Chris Cole was booked for ten days only, instead of thirty days, as shown on the books at the County Jail.

When Justice Rossiter was appealed to to explain this discrepancy between his docket and the commitment which he had issued in Cole's case, he looked over his papers and found the original complaint in the case. On the upper edge of the sheet a pencil had been scored tarough the word. "ten days." originally written, and "thirty days" was substituted above.

"I'm puzzled to explain the discrepancy," said Justice Rossiter, "but I am satisfied that Cole was sentenced to ten days and the commitment must be wrong. I shall send a new commit-

ten days and the commitment must be wrong. I shall send a new commitment and rectify the error. I have a very distinct recollection of sentencing a man named Farley to thirty days at the same session on Saturday, after having first said ten days, and I think that I must have made my note on the wrong complaint in turning over the pile of papers before me. There are fourteen vagrancy cases before me that day, and I know that Farley was the only one who got thirty days.

"In Buck's case, I intended to send out for Mrs. Craig to see if he was tell-

out for Mrs. Craig to see if he was tell-ing the truth, but when Marshal Lacy showed me his record in Pasadena and the previous sentence from Justice Meriam's court, of which I was unaware at first, inasmuch as Buck had pleaded guilty and evidence would only alter the degree of the sentence, I concluded not to send for any citizens to testify

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"Elder told a good story and wanted an investigation, but the Marshal told me that he had found a pass key and some trinkets and jewelry in Elder's pockets, and could prove by a number of persons that he had been begging near the Hotel Green, so I gave him forty days in jail. He says he asked for a jury trial? Yes, he did, after he had pleaded guilty and sentence had been passed on him, but it was too late then."

SOCIETY NEWS.

the residence of Mrs. S. O. Houghton on South Pearl street. Mrs. Abbott on South Pearl street. Mrs. Abbott Kinney sang a charming solo, and Mrs. H. T. Lee read a paper on dueling in revolutionary times, which was written by one of her ancestors, a judge in the Pennsylvania court, appointed by President Monroe. The club members present were: Mmes. Wesley Clark, M. H. Banning, F. A. Eastman, Houghton, A. Kinney, H. T. Lee, C. P. Bradfield and the Misses Houghton. The guests were: Mmes. J. A. Osgood and Telfair Creighton, Mrs. Monroe and Miss Monroe of New York.

The wedding of Miss Carrie G. Johnston, daughter of James Johnston, and Elbert H. McClure of Dallas, Tex., took place very quietly Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of Rev. J. H. Garnett, who performed the ceremony. The bride was very pretty in a tailor-made traveling gown of brown and green, with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. McClure will leave this morning for Dallas, where they will reside.

The supper given by Mrs. W. B. Wilshire Monday night, after the Glee Club concert, at her home on Orchard avenue, was a very smart affair. The decorations of blue and gold were exceedingly pretty. The supper was followed by dancing and music. Those present were: Mrs. Cosmo Morgan, the Misses Clara Carpenter, May Corson, Ethel Mullins, Messrs. Otto Wedemeyer, W. A. Smith, Rawlings and Summers.

A delightful weish rarebit supper was given by Miss Marie Burnett at her home on West Twenty-third street, after the concert. Those present were: Mrs. T. L. Burnett, the Misses Bonsall, Dorothy Groff, Landt, Mae McCrea, Theo Burnett, Messrs. W. A. Foster, Harry Turner, Cyril Wigmore, Clay Gooding, Wilbur, Bishop, Jack Corson, Coleman and Douglas Burnett.

A surprise party was given Miss Pearl Elliott on Saturday evening, in honor of her birthday at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. S. Dunn on Glowner street. The hall, parlor and diningher sister, Mrs. A. S. Dunn on Glowner street. The hall, parlor and dining-room were beautifully decorated with potted palms, smilax, maidenhair ferns and La France roses. At the games played and thrown, Mrs. Dunn won a beautiful piece of embroidery, Dr. Mc-Arthur a silver toothpick-holder, and J.H. Haigler a silver-mounted pin-cushion. The booby prizes were awarded to Miss Haigler, Mr. Stroup and I. O. Fariss.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Miss Mary Corson and Miss Ethel

Miss Mary Corson and Miss Ethel Mullins of Redondo have been the

Edier claimed that he had money and was booking for work in the orchards, and was on the Santa Fé platform on his way to the packing-house when a rested, and both Euck and Gole addit that there is the best and Gole addit that the packing-house when a will will be for Redondo have been the graduard that the police force and but the high-handed manner in which they had been treated and charged that the police force and Justice Rossiter had abused their authority.

Inquiry made yesterday of Justice Rossiter and Officer Slater, who were passed on the prisoners, and of Marshal Lacy, put quite a different face on the whole matter.

Marshal Lacy, when asked about the matter, opened his record and said:

"My books show that Cole got thirty days. Buck twenty days, and Elder forty days. Both Cole and Buck are well known to the power Passads and passed on the prisoners? I have to be supported by Justice Merriam on November 28, and were sensioned by Justice Merria

Reception to Gov. Atkinson.

Gov. Atkinson and party of Georgia, whose private car is at the Arcade Depot, will be entertained by the Chamber of Commerce today. At 2 o'clock a committee of members of the Chamber of Commerce will drive to where the private car of the Governor and his party is located. Then the distinguished party will be driven around the city, stopping at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, where a reception will be held at 4:30 o'clock.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE. SPENCER'S ESTATE.

HEIRS FIGHTING OVER A DEAD MAN'S PROPERTY.

and Other Legal Matters.

HEAVY LICENSE COMPLAINED OF

WEST SIDE LIGHTING COMPANY

Petition to Be Relieved of the Pay-

At the City Hall yesterday the Council held a short session, during which the assessment for the widening of Bellevue avenue was discussed. At meeting of the old Police Commission

was held during the forenoon.

There was not much doing at the Courthouse yesterday. The Spencer trial was commenced in Department Four. Two lunacy examinations were held. Two decrees for divorce were granted. Arguments in the Myers in surance case were begun. No new suits were commenced. Judge Allen was still too ill to appear upon

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

A WAR OF WORDS.

OF AN ASSESSMENT QUESTION.

mprovement of Bellevue Avenue the Bone of Contention—North-west Improvement Association Represented by Its Members.

terday morning, the special order of business at that time being the as-sessment for the widening of Bellevue

A number of persons interested in the matter were present, and all were given opportunity to speak. Mr. De-Camp spoke against the assessment, which had been made, declaring it to which had been made, declaring it be unjust and inequitable. He ci the Vickery Block as a piece of property which had not been assess all for the improvement. In reply to a question from President Silver as to why this was thusly, Mr. DeCamp said why this was thusly, Mr. DeCamp said that he understood the owners of the property had given a small piece of land to the city, and because of this the commission had not assessed the property. Mayor Snyder came in for some reproaches at the hands, or rather the mouth, of the speaker, who laid much of the blame for the assessment upon the Mayor, who was formerly Councilman of the Second Ward.

W. R. Burke appeared to protest against the assessment. His objections were similar to those adduced by Mr. DeCamp. Adolph Ramish completed the trinity of protestants, he suggesting that hereafter the clerk of streetimprovement commissions be required to give notice to all persons affected by any assessments or improvements about to be made.

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Mr. DeCamp followed Mr. Ramish, saying that while the protest might not have good legal ground under it, yet if the Council did not treat the property-owners justly the courts would have to be sought as a last refuge. The City Attorney was present, and at—this point suggested that while it was probable the protest could not be sustained in the courts, it might be a good idea for the Council to abandon proceedings, cut down the abandon proceedings, cut down the to abandon proceedings, cut down the costs and agree on some sort of compromise with the taxpayers. After Messrs. Stratton and Slaughter had been heard in support of the assessment, the Council adopted the City Attorney's idea in part, by appointing a special committee, made up of Councilmen Baker. Hutchison and Grider, to investigate the processing of the control of the control

to investigate the matter and report next Friday at 2 o'clock, when a special session of the Council will be held. The City Engineer was directed to prepare and present a plan for taking care of the storm water on New Main street east of the Kuhrts-street bridge.

A Lighting Company Complains of the Tax it Has to Pay.

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The West Side Lighting Company
has filed a petition to the Council with
the City Clerk, asking for relief from
the charge which under the present ordinance, it has to pay. The petition

the charge which, under the present ordinance, it has to pay. The petition reads as follows:

"To the City Council: Whereas your honorable body did on July 11, 1894, adopt ordinance No. 2232 (new series.) which, as amended, requires any person or company receiving more than \$250 a month for furnishing lights to the city of Los Angeles, to pay to the city a license of \$100 a month, your petitioner, the West Side Lighting Company respectfully shows that such a charge is unreasonable, and in our case would prove a great hardship. While our gross receipts are now a little more than \$250 a month they are still several hundred dollars a month less than our operating expenses, and this company is also furnishing light from over 600 lights throughout the City Hail and for the Public Library entirely free of cost to the city as a condition of our franchise.

"As a matter of fact, which can be verified by any one having had experience in the electric-light business, no company can pay more than operating expenses while their gross receipts are less than about \$2000 a month. It is therefore plain that the license would be an unjust burden in our case, and we therefore ask that it be waived or rebated to us in consideration of our furnishing free light to the city for the use of the occupants of the City Hail."

hurst League, asking that the license of the White Wings saloon be-revoked was referred to the incoming commis-

Applications for appointment as po-licemen were received from L. A. Hunt. N. Valencia and Charles R. Stevens and were ordered filed. An application from G. J. Dold, for a liquor license at No. 529 East First street, was granted, and a similar ap-plication from M. M. Potter, of the Van Nuys Hotel, was referred to the Chief.

Chief.

A petition was received from Emanuel Elsner in which he asked to be allowed to withdraw his name from a protest against a saloon on Mission road. The permission was granted and the board then adjourned.

Auditor Wants Lopez Retained.

City Auditor Nichols has petitioned the Council to retain F. E. Lopez in his office, Mr. Lopez having been en-gaged by the late City Council to as-sist in straightening out the Auditor's accounts.

(AT THE COURT HOUSE. THE SPENCER ESTATE.

TRIAL OF A SENSATIONAL LAW

Seeking to Set Aside Deeds Conveying the Bulk of His Property to Their Step-mother-An Inter-

Department Four of the Superior Court yesterday, Judge Van Dyke on the

This is the case in which Isabel Spencer seeks to set aside certain deeds for real estate and personal property, formerly belonging to the late Ambrose H. Spencer, but conveyed by him dur-ing his lifetime to his wife, Anna P. Spencer. The property involved is worth upward of \$100,000. The suit is brought by plaintiff in behalf of the two children of A. H. Spencer by his

first wife. The complaint makes some startling allegations, charging among other things that the defendant, who is a things that the defendant, who is a robust, strong-minded woman, many years the junior of her deceased husband, married the old man in order to gain possession of his property, and that after they were wedded she gradually administered opiates to him, until he became addicted to the opiumusing habit, and while he was in the resulting enfeebled condition she succeeded in persuading him to sign over

eeded in persuading him to sign over the bulk of his property to her. The old man was found dead in bed the bulk of his property to her.

The old man was found dead in bed one morning, and the Coroner's jury, after an investigation, brought in a verdict of death from opium-poisoning, the drug having been administered by his own hand, probably with suicidal intent. Mrs. Spencer was staying with friends in the southern part of the city on the night of the tragedy. Ugly rumors were at first circulated as to the manner of the old man's death, and foul play was openly hinted at, but the verdict of the Coroner's jury set these at rest.

Plaintiff has made use of the manner of Spencer's taking-off by making it a count in the complaint, which sets forth that the old man was driven into a suicidal frame of mind by humiliation over his wife's acts.

The answer to the complaint consists of a general denial, and alleges that Mrs. Spencer had considerable property before she married Spencer, and that her conduct was always that of a duitful wife and kind step-mother; that Spencer amply provided for his children before his death, and that the property deeded to her is hers by right.

The papers in the case are very voluminous, and the trial promises to be a long and interesting one. The plaintiff is represented by Leon F. Moss and Swanwick & Porter; the defendant by Lamme & Milliken.

The first day of the trial was taken up with the introduction of documentary evidence and hearing testimony of bankers, real estate men and others as to the value of the properties involved. No new features of the case were developed. The trial will be resumed this morning.

SEED DEALERS AT LAW.

Dispute Over Payment of a Debt Submitted to the Court.
In the case of William T. Fenton, assignee of Northrup, Braslan, Goodwin

Company vs. Edwards & Johnson and Emma von Windhe'm, a stipulation was filed yesterday with the County Clerk in which all parties agreed to submit the cause to the Superior Court upon a statement of facts, and to abide the a statement of facts, and to abide the final judgment which may be rendered as to whether a debt of \$230.62 owing by Edwards & Johnson to Northrup, Braslin, Goodwin Company should be paid to plaintiff or to the inter-pleader, Emma von Windheim doing business under the name of the Nebraska Seed Company. The latter company garnisheed the debt of Edwards & Johnson to the Northrup, Braslin, Goodwin Company on a judgment for \$1000. Edwards & Johnson refused to pay the money under attachment unless ordered to do so by the court. All the parties interested in the suit are engaged in the seed business.

FULLY SUBSCRIBED.

Johannesburg Company with \$250,

Articles of incorporation of the Johannesburg Milling and Water Com-Johannesburg Milling and Water Com-pany were filed yesterday with the County Clerk. The capital stock is \$250,000, all of which has been actually subscribed by the incorporators, to-wit: Henry A. Darling, 360 shares, \$36,000; George H. Curtis, 2000 shares, \$200,000; George E. Pratt, 2 shares, \$200, \$200,000; George E. Pratt, 2 shares, \$200; Frank P. Flint, 137 shares, \$13,700; Charles L. Morrill, 1 share, \$100. The purpose is to acquire, improve, hold, sell and lease real estate, water, water rights and privileges; to develop water, etc., to issue loans, borrow and loan money, buy and sell stocks and bonds of other corperations; 40 build and operate mills, and exercise all the rights of an individual not inconsistent with the laws of California. The principal place of business is Los Angeles.

Maid Examined.

safety in flight. It was on account of fear of bodily harm from him during his tantrums that the family sought to have him placed in the madhouse. Several neighbors and members of his family appeared at the examination to testify against him. Drs. Mathis and Cates conducted the inquiry. The prisoner sat between his wife and daughter in court, and seemed quite rational, except that he exhibited considerable temper over the allegations made by the witnesses. He said the whole trouble arose from the fact that his wife and daughter did not wish to live on the ranch, but insisted on packing their trunks and returning to Los Angeles, where they lived during the summer. He wanted them to remain with him on the ranch, and so they charged him with being crazy.

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According to Brockwell's story, the According to Brockwell's story, the whole trouble was nothing more than a large-sized family row. All he asked was for his family to remain with him and behave themselves, and they would dwell in peace and harmony. In reply to the charge that he made life a burden to his wife and theratened to do violence to her, Brockwell said: "Why, Your Honor, hi love 'er has the happle of my heye, and would not 'arm an 'air of 'er 'ed."

The prisoner then forgot himself so far as to begin to relate some scandalous stories about members of his family, but Judge Smith shut him 'af, raying he would consider it a sure sign that he was crazy, if he 'asisted on washing the family's dirty linen in public.

The physicians and the court were

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The physicians and the court were of the opinion that Brockwell was too sane a man to go to the asylum. They considered that he was mentally responsible, and all he would have to do would be to govern his temper, and there would be no more trouble.

Judge Smith suggested that he return to the ranch alone, and that the wife and daughter remain in the city, but they said they would have to return to the ranch to get their belongings, and wished to have him restrained while they were there, as they feared another outbreak.

Brockwell promised to control his angry passions, if released and allowed to go home with his family. The court granted him a parole, and after talking the matter over among themselves, the family arrived at an amicable understanding, and departed in peace.

In Judge Tork's court Alboonse

AT THE COUNTY JAIL.

Arrivals and Departures at the Bastile Yesterday.

Among the arrivals at the County Jall yesterday were five petty larcenists from San Fernando; one vagrant from El Monte; one from Monrovia; a petty larcenist from Pomona; one arcenist from Fomona; one vagrant and one petty larcenist from Pasa-dena; Hugh Robinson from Santa Monica for burglary; Augustus Zerkel from Wilmington for disturbing the peace; Miss Alphonese Oehl, an insane person, and Charles Browning, a Livited States prisoner

Kid Thompson is expected to arrive on the next train from the North.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

MYERS INSURANCE CASE. The Myers insurance case is drawing to a close in Department Five of the Superior Court. Evidence was closed yearerday and arguments before the jury begun. The case will be submitted to-

LEAVE TO MORTGAGE. The Plynouth Congregational Church of Whitmouth Congregational Church of Whit-ier was granted leave to mortgage oroperty yesterday, by Judge York, sit-ing for Judge Allen, who is still too ill

PRICE'S BONDSMEN. The examination of W. L. Price's bondsmen in his \$25,000 libel suit agains the Herald Publishing Company, as to their qualifications to act as sureties, was continued yesterday in Department Six DIVORCE DECREES. Emily A.

Penning was yesterday granted a di-vorce from her husband, C. H. Penning, by Judge Clark, and Cleauth E. Dale, wife of George W. Dale, was similarly dated by Judge York. Des

BUCHANAN'S EXAMINATION. Justice Young yesterday continued the examination of Robert A. Buchanan on the charge of giving perjured testimony in the Smith divorce case, till January 14. LEFROY'S WILL. Jesse F. Waterman yesterday filed a petition for the probate of the will of Francis P. Le-froy, who died at Redlands November 16, 1896, leaving an estate valued at \$18,650, which he bequeathed to his wife and two minor children in an instru-ment executed February 10, 1886.

GUARDIANSHIP. Philip L. Wilson yesterday filed a petition for the ap-pointment of Mrs. C. Wilson as guar-dian of Philip L. Wilson, a minor.

COUNTY SUPERVISORS.

Standing Committees of the New

Board Announced. standing committees of the Board of Supervisors have been an-Hospital and Farm-E. S. Field,

chairman; R. E. Wirsching, James Hanley.

Courthouse and Jail—R. E. Wirschng, chairman; E. S. Field, A. E. Davis, Finance—A. E. Davis, chairman; E. S. Field, James Hanley.

Retrenchment—James Hanley, chairman; A. E. Davis, R. E. Wirsching.

The board was not in session yester-lay.

FOUR SERVICES. Held by Archdeacon Webber Yes-

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Police Commissioners.

Applications Received for Appointment on the Force.

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There were two insanity examinations in the Mayor's office yesterday morning at the color of clock. Morning prayer followed at 9:30 o'clock, and the next service at 19:30. At noon a service was held at Y.M.C.A. Hall at which the opening prayers were read by Rev. A. J. Clark. Archdeacon Webber preaching the services were the other in Department Three.

The victim in Judge Smith's court was G. W. A. Brockwell, a gray-headed Englishman, who has been ranching in the Antelope Valley. The complaint against him alleged that he had violent is sioners Cook and Long were the members present.

A communication from the Park-

LUCKY JAMES BURNS

PRESENTED WITH A DECISION BY REFEREE JOHN BRINK.

Billy Gallagher Beaten by His Ow Broken Arm-Unfortunate Ending of the Athletic Club's Contest.

FIGHTING WAS ALL ONE WAY.

GALLAGHER FLOORED HIS MAN BUT HAD TO CONTINUE.

Asevado Had a Picnic with Mike Thornton-Shorty Gridley Tackles Wrestler from Brooklyn. Long Bested Merriweather.

Billy Gallagher lost his fight with Jim Burns at the Athletic Club last night because he broke his arm. Un-til the accident he had everything his own way, and he fought several rounds with the broken arm; but in the sixth round the fight was awarded to Burns.
The big gymnasium of the club was
crowded with spectators, all of them
confident of witnessing the "best go

of the season." The men entered the ring in splendid condition; fought four rounds, during which Burns twice went to the floor, and then while the hearts of Gallagher's second and friends beat high with hope, the plucky boxer showed to the referee his left arm, broken just above the wrist, and that official, against the protests of a great many men, promptly awarded the fight to Burns.

The accident occurred in the fourth round. The men had exchanged a



JIM BURNS OF CHICAGO.

couple of light blows and had clinched couple of light blows and had clinched, when Gallagher, getting his man in a corner, after breaking away, countered with his left on Burns's right temple, felling him to the floor at once. Burns arose and crouched on his knees, while the timer counted the requisite number of seconds. Burns stood on his feet, just as Tom Darmody, who was timing the match for the club, yelled "Ten!"

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The referee said nothing, but an obstreperous bottle-holder for Burns jumped in to the ring, yelling "Foul! foul!" evidently laboring under the delusion that a decision had been given against his man, and thinking to bluff big John Brink into changing the same. Then there were cries of "foul" from all parts of the house, and pandemonium reigned for a few seconds, while John Brink raised his hand for "silence." Gallagher and Burns stood quietly, surrounded by their seconds. The spectators were, in the main, gentlemen, and the larger part of them kept their seats until the referee's voice could be heard. When that time arrived, Brink made a dash for the bottle-holder who had precipitated the racket by bolting into the ring, and with a gesture and tone that made the burly genius of the bottle quali, said, "The next time you set foot inside this ring you go, down the stairs, and in a hurry—understand?"

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PROF. "BILLY" GALLAGHER.

understood, and Brink turned to the

JI was not revealed then that Gallagher had broken his arm in striking Burns the blow that felled the latter, and the round was finished without any blow being struck by either man. The next round, the fifth, was fought and Gallagher even then said nothing of the accident he had sustained, but in the next round, after Burns had burst a glove, and during the luil that occurred while another glove was being secured, Gallagher called the referee to his side and spoke a few words to him, and Brink at once announced that the fight was at an end, Gallagher having fractured his forearm. A number of prominent physicians were called upon to examine the broken arm, and Gallagher told when and how the accident had occurred. He had kept silent before, hoping to put his man out with the remaining hand, but gave it up when the broken arm began to swell and pain him acutely. He felt keenly the loss of the match, believing that It was not revealed then that Galsecured, Gallagher called the referee to his side and spoke a few words to him, and Brink at once announced that the fight was at an end, Gallagher having fractured his forearm. A number of promizent physicians were called upon to examine the broken arm, and Gallagher told when and how the accident had occurred. He had kept silent before hoping to put his man out with the remaining hand, but gaye it up when the broken arm began to swell and pain him acutely. He felt keenly the loss of the match, believing that. Editor Great Scissors: That sof Burns should have been declared out when he falled to get on his feet after having been sent to the floor.

The broken arm was given attention

Secured, Gallagher called the referee to his side and spoke a few words to him, and guarantly against any general financial disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain the problem. The broken arm was given to our banking system the sum of the same that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight and pain disaster that does not involve the dight was at an end, Gallagher having fractured his foreatment, and the usual prelimitant of the felt was at the fight the tar (Chicago Dec 2; (Editor of the Evening Post:) Chicago Dec 2; (Editor of the Evening Post:) Please that was a to supplied the was getting in the was given the triple in the fight was at the fight was at an end, Gallagher having was not involve the

by the physicians present, and the crowd, buzzing with excitement, left the hall jo discuss in the lower rooms the unfortunate ending of the match, from which so much had been expected. At 8:45 o'clock the evening's enter-tainment began with a wrestling match between young Lord of Brooklyn and C. H. Gridley, who has been twice defeated by Jim Burns before the club. Lord's spiendid physique won a deal of favorable comment from the on-lookers, the stranger being built like a Sandow, with muscles that stretched in ridges, solid and supple, from shoulder ers, the stranger being built like a Sandow, with muscles that stretched in ridges, solid and supple, from shoulder to ankles. Gridley was not in good condition, and his youthful opponent took a fall out of him in five minutes and twelve seconds, the men wrestling at Graeco-Roman style. At catch-as-catch-can style Gridley proved himself to be all right, taking a fall out of his man in four minutes and twenty-seven seconds. Frank Scott acted as referee. Dan Long, who stood up before Jim Jeffries in San Francisco for a couple of rounds several months ago, took on a husky young fellow named Merriweather last night for a four-round bout. Long had the advantage of his rival in height and reach. In the first round the big fellows went at each other rough-and-tumble fashion, hitting without much regard to where or how the punching was done. The crowd

ting without much regard to where or how the punching was done. The crowd applauded the men vigorously, but the pace was too warm to be kept up by the boxers and the next two rounds were tame, Long having the best of Merriweather. The latter claimed to be sick at the end of the third round, and retired from the ring, to the tune of a hearty outburst of cheers from the spectators.

Asevado and Thornton, a couple of

spectators.

Asevado and Thornton, a couple of youngsters who have figured in "pre-liminaries" for a year or two past, at divers boxing matches, were down on the bills last evening for a six-round engagement. Thornton knocked out Joe Welch several months ago, but got the worst of it in a go with Herrera, the Bakersfield boy, at the last boxer's night given by the club.

Asevado disposed of him easily last night without administering any knockout blow or doing him other violence. Thornton stuck to his work throughout the six rounds, took his punishment manfully, but was outclassed altogether by Asevado, who hit him pretty much when and where he pleased. Referee Brink gave the decision to Asevado at the close of the bout.

It was 10-25 o'clock when Burns and

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It was 10:05 o'clock when Burns and Gallaher entered the ring. Each man looked fit to put up a splendid fight. Burns had lost his mustache and the absence of the appendage gave him a rather savage look. Gallaher was in fine fettle, his skin clear and white, eyes bright, and step springy. J. Phil Percival officiated as time-keeper for Gallagher, Tom Darmody for the club, and Mr. Goodwin for Burns.

The men were warned by Referee Brink to refrain from striking after a break, and with this admonition the serious business of the evening began. Burns rushed Gallagher to the ropes and then led with his left on Gallagher's chest. Burns swung wild with his right, and Gallagher reached for Burn's wind, but failed to land. Burns was disposed to play a game of offensive fighting and Gallagher simply dodged the viclous swings which Burns let fly.

In the second round Gallagher warmed up to his work and tapped

let fly.

In the second round Gallagher warmed up to his work and tapped Burns on the jaw with his left, whereat Burns slapped Gallagher on the back a few times, and Gallagher swung wild with his left, attempting to reach Burns's jaw.

Burns's jaw.

The third round was a bit livelier.
Burns led with his right on Gallagher's Burns led with his right on Gallagher's ribs. Gallagher countered with his left on Burns's neck. Burns dodged another one of those same counters, and then the men mixed up, a few blows being exchanged at short range. Again Gallagher brought his left against Burns's jaw, and with such energy that Burns went to the floor, but only to stay for a second. Gallagher landed with his right on Burns's neck, and the round closed with Gallagher's support-

with his right on Burns's neck, and the round closed with Gallagher's supporters jubilant and confident of victory,
The fourth round, in which Gallagher sustained the accident to his arm, has already been described, with the fifth and part of the sixth rounds that followed. Technically, the fight belonged to Burns, but not a man of the hundreds who saw the match but believed it would eventually, and before the fifteenth round have gone to Gallagher, and many there were who claimed that the fight was won in the fourth round, when Burns was counted out by the timer.

Safety in Associated Banks

Safety in Associated Banks.

(Chicago Post:) Never was there a better or more timely exemplification of the strength derived from union than in the serenity with which Chicago this morning received the news of the liquidation of the Atlas National Bank. When the natural curiosity as to the cause and character of such action was satisfied all classes in the community went about the business of the day as if nothing out of the way had happened. With the announcement that the associated banks of Chicago had arranged for the payof Chicago had arranged for the payment of all the Atlas Bank's deposits in full on presentation all occasion fo any financial flurry vanished.

This was the whole community's ribute of confidence in the strength Chicago when united for mutual inves Chicago when united for mutual investigation and protection. Individuals in that community may cherish and exercise the individual's right to doubt the solvency of any separate banking institution. But so long as the associated banks remain faithful to the motto of one for all and all for one the body of the community will back them with the confidence which is the ultimate security of all banking institutions.

Great as are the cath resources of the associated banks when united for Great as are the cath resources of the associated banks when united for the purpose of mutual support and se-curity in the presence of any financial emergency, they are inconsiderable when compared with the financial strenth of which cash is the only visi-ble instrument. The total cash. streigh of which cash is the only visible instrument. The total cash resources of the fourteen national banks which last Monday published the statements of their condition at the close of business December 17 were \$47,896,000. The total deposits of the twenty-three national banks of Chicago on the same date were \$108,833,654, with loans aggregating \$75,200,946.

But these figures, impressive as they are, represent only a portion of the consolidated strength of the associated banks. The great merchants, manufacturers and capitalists of Chicago constitute the heavy stockholders and directors of these banks. It is to their far-sighted wisdom that we owe the association of the banks in a compact organization to conserve mutual interests.

terests.

Just so long as the banks of Chicago recognize the laws of the interdependence of credit and confidence, so long as their governing committees are faithful in the investigation of the affairs of the associate banks, succorting the solvent, liquidating the unfortunate and declining without fear or favor to assist those who have forfeited any claim to forbearance, so long as the associated banks afford to Chicago a guaranty against any general finan-

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the well-known authority on cycling, and know him to be an honest and fear-less writer on cycling, and that he has

been constantly hounded and abused

been constantly nonnect and abused by certain would-be bosses of cycling affairs in Los Angeles. We have full confidence in him and wish to refute the attacks made upon him by the Los Angeles Herald for honestly reporting the foul riding of Floyd A. McFarland of San José in the professional races

of San José in the professional races at Pasadena January 1, 1897. "STEPHENS & HICKOK,

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"WILLIAM K. FISKE,

BROOKS AND TENNYSON.

Visit of the Famous Divine to the

(Very Rev. F. W. Farrar, D.D., in the Independent:) My last visit to Lord Tennyson was when he was old, infirm, and very near his end. My friend, the late distinguished and brilliant Dr. Phillips Brooks, bishop of Massachusetts, was in England, and though he would not stay at my house—as he

with most tender and assiduous devo-tion. We talked of many of the deep

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OFFICIAL CORROBORATION OF THE

leferee, Starter, Timer, Clerks, Pace makers and Participants in the Pasadena Races State the Facts of the Case and Disprove the Herald's Allegations.

Pasadena bicycle race meet New Year's day passed off very pleasantly, except for one race, and that the most important event. The Times report of the meet was the only cor-rect report published in Southern California, but the moribund Herald attacks the accuracy of the statements concerning McFarland's foul riding, and misquotes the racing rules to bol-ster up its wild charges, which are obviously made to protect McFarland from the penalties usually imposed by the racing board for foul riding. The following signed statements and affidavits effectually dispose of the Herald's assertions without further ar-

FOULED FOSTER PURPOSELY. "PASADENA (Cal.,) Jan. 5. 1897.
"We, the undersigned race officials and professionals that officiated and and professionals that officiated and competed in the Pasadena race meet, January 1, 1897, declare: That Floyd McFarland, in the mile open profes-sional race, deliberately and purposely fouled Walter F. Foster on the upper

elbowing him off the track.

"We state positively that Foster was run off the track into soft ground, and thereby all his chances for first prize in this race were lost.

"If we signed anything contrary to the above, it was a misrepresentation to us, and was not signed to convey the idea that McFarland did not foul Exeter.

Foster.
"It is clear to us that McFarland tactics.

won this race on foul tactics.
(Signed) "H. M. BLACK, Referee,
"M. A. HILL,
"ALBERT E. EDWARDS,
Clock

"GEORGE H. FROST, "GEORGE H. FROST,
Starter.
"ED R. BRALEY,
Clerk of Course.
"FRANK A. COTY, Pro.,
"EDWARD S. CRUMP,
Timer. "HORACE F. SANDEMAN,

M'FARLAND DISQUALIFIED.

M'FARLAND DISQUALIFIED.

"January 5, 1897.

"We, the referee and starter of the race meet held in Pasadena, January 1, 1897., positively declare that Mr. Foster had good and substantial grounds to claim a foul in the 'mile open' race against Floyd McFarland, as McFarland ran Foster off the track, and thereby ruined all chances for Foster to win the race.

"We also declare and state that we waited until every one had departed."

"We also declare and state that we waited until every one had departed from the track and then approached Mr. Foster and asked of him to enter a protest against McFarland's foul riding; which Foster gave us the liberty of doing if we so wished.

"We thereby consider that a protest was entered by Foster against McFarland for elbowing and running him off the track. But, as the first protest of having McFarland disqualified for his starter stepping over the tape, held, there was no need of pressing the latter foul of elbowing and running Foster off the track.

(Signed) "H. M. BLACK, Referee. "GEORGE H. FROST. "Starter."

COWAN'S AFFIDAVIT.

pass McFarland and Stevens on the outside, and that these men rode wide so as to shut off Foster from passing around them; that he saw Foster then take the pole and pass McFarland and Stevens before they could shut him off on the inside, and that he then saw the said Floyd McFarland of San José ride against Foster and with his left elbow shove Foster clear off the track into the soft dirt, thus making the foul known as 'glving the elbow.'

"James W. Cowan further deposes that he has been a racing man for years, and has known both Foster and McFarland for a Jong time, and that he has raced against both and knows them well enough to not be mistaken in their looks, actions and styles of riding. "JAMES W. COWAN."
"Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of January, 1897, at my office in Los Angeles, Cal.,
"NotaryPublic in and for the county of Los Angeles." APPRENTICE SERVANTS NEXT. Suggestions from Lady Londonderry on the Perplexing Problem. (New York Herald:) Lady London derry, a woman deeply interested in the solution of domestic problems

made quite a practical suggestion last week to the Durham County (Eng.) Training Institution for Servants, which, if put into practical operation, might in part remove some of the diffi-culties from the housekeeper's absorb-ing question of servant girls. "Take servant girls as apprentices," she said. Here is a suggestion for American

Here is a suggestion for American housekeepers.

Lady Londonderry went over the principal servant-girl troubles, as familiar in this country as in England, and laid particular stress on the difficulties arising from a new servant who maintains that she understands her duties and refuses to be taught.

"Housekeepers," she said, "must suffer from this in loss of patience, loss of comfort, loss of digestion and loss of China and bric-a-brac. Why not take the new servant into your house on an agreement of apprenticeship? Care for her, and have the other servants teach her. The instruction would be good wages during the term of apprenticeship, and when it was over you would have a trained and capable servant."

TUNNEL UNDER THE SEA. italy and Sicily are Planning a Tre-

A tunnel between the mainland of taly and the island of Sicily is now being actively projected. Plans and a model complete in every detail were executed by the Italian civil engineer. De Johannis, and are now on exhibition at the University of Padua, says the

setts, was in England, and though he would not stay at my house—as he moved about constantly, and preferred to be quite free—I saw him almost daily. I was going to Aldworth to spend a day with Lord and Lady Tennyson, and, knowing that the poet knew the bishop, and that it would be a great pleasure to them both to meet again, I asked leave to bring him with me. Lord Tennyson's carriage met us at the station, and after a lovely drive we reached the house. The poet looked very worn and very ill; but we spent a delightful day with him, almost entirely in the open air, sitting and walking in the garden with him and his son Hailam, who devoted many years of his life to the care of his father, and to watching over his health and happiness with most tender and assiduous devo-

at the University of Padua, says the Philadelphia Record.

The principle employed by him is that of boring in parabolic spiral lines. After thorough and careful studies of the Strait of Messina, its varying depths, the nature of the ground and all other conditions which might assist or interfere with the success of the enterprise, De Johannis decided to begin his tunnel near San Giovanni di Sanitello, at the foot of the Aspromonte Mountain range, while the mouth on the other side will be located on the plain "Degli Ingles!"

The entire tunnel will be nearly two miles long and will consist of two shafts of about 10,000 feet each, descending at a grade not exceeding thirty-two feet in each 1000. Such a tunnel would be much preferable to a bridge, while how wild have to have a span of 4500 feet, and, with the room mous strength. of the winds in the strait such an attempt appears to be exceedingly, dangerous. This tunnel will cost about 4350,000,000, but the money has not yet been appropriated.

Why it Didn't Work. Why it Didn't Work.

(Chicago Post;) "So you've had a fight, have you?" said the old man.

The boy was so badly out of breath that it was a minute or two bfore he could get wind enough to say, "Yep," and somehow the old man didn't seem to regard the breathlessnss as a particularly auspicious omen.

ticularly auspicious omen.
"Did you lick him?" he asked.
"Nit," replied the boy, with that bril-liancy of repartee that is peculiar to

with most tender and assiduous devotion. We talked of many of the deepest subjects of human interest, and he
read us some of those short poems
which came out in his last volume. Just
before we left, the bishop asked him,
with many apologies, if he would kindly
sign his name in a volume of his poems,
which he had brought for that purpose.
He did not generally like writing his
autograph, but he at once assented;
and not without a little physical difficulty wrote his name on the title-page.
After a very kindly farewell, he sent
us back to the station in his carriage.
As we drove out of the gates which
lead to the grounds, the bishop turned
to me, and I to him, with the very
same words upon our lips, "We shall
never see him again!" liancy of repartee that is peculiar to boys.

"I guess you didn't follow your poor old father's advice," said the old man. "I suppose you thought you knew more about it than he ever had a chance to learn, and went at the other fellow with some new-fangled uppercuts or swings, or something of the sort, and let him get in under your guard while you were figuring out the scientific ponts of some new blow. Science is all right, I suppose, in a fight where there have been all the usual preliminaries, but I've seen the time when a scientific fighter would get the tar licked out of him while he was getting his science ready for use. Now, when I was a boy and I saw there was a fight coming on I aimed to get in the first blow."

"That's my way." said the boy.

What We are Waiting For.

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(New York Commercial Advertiser:) In his admirable address at the New England dinner last evening ex-Minister Edward J. Phelps, in discussing the recent Presidential election, said: "The victory is won, but the prosperity that sanguine men looked for to follow immediately upon such a victory has not come. What is it waiting for?"

That is an easy one. It is waiting for the passage of a tariff bill that will give a sufficient revenue to pay governmental expenses, a bill that will open up the mills that are still closed, that will set the factory hands at work

open up the mills that are still closed, that will set the factory hands at work and the spindles to buzzing every-where. There can be no prosperity and the spindles to buzzing everywhere." There can be no prosperity
until all the persons who were thrown
out of employment at the time the
Wilson Bill became a law are again
put to work, nor can there be any
prosperity so long as such men as
Cameron, Vest, Morgan and the Jingoes insist upon war with Spain. There
can be no permanent prosperity until
we have work and peace. Capital is
timid. Sagacious business men refuse to engage in new enterprises until
the question of foreign aggression is
settled. When our law-makers begin
to attend to our home affairs we shall
have moved a step in the right way.
Prosperity is not far off. It will come
as soon as Congressmen, Senators and
State legislators stop making fools of
themselves and stop warring upon
vested interests. We must first have
a revival of common-sense before we
can have a revival of industry.

Slightly Mixed.

I'm talking about the dog. It was amusing to see the demure way he walked behind his master. But just as they passed our house Miss Badger's walked behind his master. But just as they passed our house Miss Badger's cat crossed the street, and you should have seen that dog jump! He pulled the cord around Mr. Mixer's legs and made one terrible bound for the poor kitty. But Mr. Mixer held on to him. When he found he couldn't get the cat he sat on the sidewalk and howled like a lost demon."

"Mixer howled like a lost demon?"

"Did I say Mixer howled? You know I said the dog howled."

"You said he howled."

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"Well, why shouldn't I say he howled?"

"Because the name of Mixer's new dog is Lizzie!"

Business Since the Election.

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(Chicago Times-Herald:) The New York Journal has obtained and published answers from leading men in the large business centers of the country to the following questions:

"In your opinion, has business increased since the last election, and what is the prospect for the new year."

The majority of the answers are to the effect that while there has been no great improvement in trade since the election the business outlook is very favorable for the coming year. As a rule, each person replied from his own immediate point of view, and in respect to his own business, but those in position to take a broad outlook gave encouraging reports. The grocers, dry goods merchants, boot, and shoe men and leather dealers see a decided improvement, both in the present and the future. A few examples are as follows:

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85c and 95c grades, at
Misses' Munsing Combination Suits, 49c Misses' Munsing Combination Suits, non-shrinkable, all sizes, usual \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.60 grades; offered dur-ing this sale at. 97c

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will be larger than in 1896. In New York City the revival has not been so noticeable as was hoped for, yet been so noticeable as was hoped for, yet some signs of improvement are visible. Henry D. McCord, president of the Produce Exchange, can see no great improvement in trade, nor can Mr.Claf-lin, of the H. B. Claffin Company, but L. H. Lapham of the United States Leather Company notes "a marked im-provement in business since the Pres-idential election. This I attribute to a restoration of confidence" estoration of confidence

In Cleveland and in San Francisco a slight improvement is seen. The Journal also addressed to a num-ber of Congressmen the following ques-

"Do you think the recent bank failures in Chicago and St. Paul were in any way due to the result of the recent Presidential election?"

Senators Mills of Texas and Jones of Arkansas replied in the negatiove, as did Representatives Walker, Maguire and Hillsorn, while Senator Peffer and Representative Hartman thought the failures were due to our "present vicious monetary system," which the Mc-Kinley administration is pledged to maintain.

These questions were also propounded o Mr. Hanna and Mr. Bryan. The ormer replied:
"I do not see how these failures were in any way due to the recent election. Times have improved, but not to the extent some people expected. Conditions are all that I expected they would be at

extent some people expected. Conditions are all that I expected they would be at this time."

Mr. Bryan's answer was characteristic and delphic—quite worthy of Jack Bunsby himself:

"All by this time know the great underlying principles of free silver and the effects of the gold standard, and all can apply their own measuring sticks and doubtless gach a true conclusion. If there have been any evidences of returning prosperity I bave failed to note them pafficularly. As to any permanent prosperity without free silver, the people of the United States will have time to decide that point. Let the silver men not put a stone in the pathway of any man who will give prosperity, but let not the campfires of free silver burn out."

The difficulty of the present situation is that nearly every person has his own idea of what constitutes prosperity. Naturally enough, each one judges from his own business surroundings, and if times have not improved with him he is apt to think they have improved with.

apt to think they have improved with no one.

Prosperity, after several years of dullness and reaction, such as we have had, comes but slowly, but for that reason all the more surely. The worst possible thing that could happen to us would be a great and sudden boom in all lines of business. It could not be other than ephemeral, and the bursting of the bubble would make our last state worse than the first.

Stable prosperity must have time. Let the ball have a fair start. It will gather size and force as it rolls.

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BERTHOLDE, THE DWARF.

His Shrewd Answers at the Court of Alboin, King of the Lombards.

Mary Shears Roberts, in her series of "Historic Dwarfs," contributes an a ticle on Bertholde to the January Nicholas, the tholde was an Italian, and one day, he made his way to the palace of Albion, King of the Lombards, at Verona, and boldly seated himself in an empty chair next the thorne.

The courtiers were as much surprised at his audacity as they were amazed at his grotesque appearance; but the Lombard chieftain smiled grimly upon the intruder and inquired of him what he was, when he was born, and in what country?

"I am a man," replied the dwarf, whereupon the attendants went off into fits of laughter. "I was born when I came into the world, and the world itself is my country."

King and courtiers now began to realize that they had a shrewd little imp before them, and they commenced to ply him with questions of all kinds. The asking of conundrums was a sort of trial of wit, to which sovereigns were much given at this period of history.

"What thing is that which flies the

tory.
"What thing is that which flies the swiftest?" asked one. Thought," promptly replied Ber-What is the gulf that is never

"The avarice of the miser," was the eady answer of the quick-witted What trait is the most hateful in

"Self-conceit, because it makes them unteachable."
"How will you catch a hare running?" inquired the King.
"Til stay till I find her on the spit."
"How would you bring water in a beleve?"

"I'd wait till it was frozen," an-wered the dwarf, readily. The King was delighted. "For so clever a rejoinder," he said, "you shall have from me anything you may de-site."

"Oh, no!" cried Bertholde, with a mocking laugh. "I shall have nothing of the sort. You cannot give me what you do not possess. I am in search of happiness, of which you have not a particle. So how can you give me any?"

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"How," exclaimed the King. "Am I not happy on so elevated a throne?"

"Yes, you are, if the happiness of a man consists in the height of his seat."

Then Albion referred to his kingly power and dignity, and the dwarf retorted with another mocking laugh; and when the King called attention to the nobles and courtiers about him. Bertholde, with a sneer, remarked:

"Oh, yes, they cluster round your throne; so do hungry ants round a crab-apple, and with the same purpose to devour it."

"Well said," spake the King, keeping his temper; "but all this does not prevent me from shining among them, as the sun among the stars."

"True, but tell me, shining Sun, how many eclipses you are obliged to suffer in a year? For the continual flattering of these men must now and then darken your understanding."

"For this reason you would not be a courtier?" inquired His Majesty, whose fingers began to play upon his sword in a threatening manner.

"Miserable as I am, I should be sorry to be placed in the rank of slaves," replied the dwarf. "Besides, I have not the necessary qualities to succeed in this fine employment."

"What then do you seek at my court?" asked the King in an angry tone.

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MOHAMMEDAN SEVEN STATIONS
They are Passed in the Journey from Life to Eternity.

When the Mohammedan dies the popular bellef is that two angels appear at his head holding a balance, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch. One part points to the east, the other to the west. In this the dead man's sins as well as his good deeds are weighed.

Then his soul is transported over a deep abyss. If he has been a true believer his passage will be made easy, by two accompanying angels. If otherwise, he will be obliged to halt many times on the way.

There are seven stations in the abyss. At the first two he is asked in what manner he has observed the religious rites prescribed by Mohammed; at the second he must tell if he has said his prayers regularly; at the third he enumerator his deeds of charity; at the fourth he must tell how he has observed the fasts and festivals; at the fifth he will be defeated. The brains of Kansas are satisfied that proposed the Kansas used to send \$10,000,000 annually to Peorla and Kentucky for whisky. Now she sends out about \$1,000,000; \$300,000 saved to the State every year.

Still, whisky gets into Kansas. But the fit is done of the pour of sign of a bar in the State. It is drunk for medicine in drug stores through a physician's certificate. Two men are never seen druling to the west. In this the dead man's sins as weel as his state. It is drunk for medicine in drug stores through a physician's certificate. Two men are never seen abar. Exaggerated stories about Kansas drinking are popular, but they are not the will be defeated. The brains used to send \$10,000,000 annually to Peorla and Kentucky for whisky. Now she sends out about \$1,000,000; \$10,000 sends to he state. It is drunk for medicine in drug the state. It is drunk for medicine in drug

Subjected to in the Far East.

(Oil City Derrick:) The spectacle of an old, bearded man, with long, tangled locks, dressed in a fantastic costume, attracted the attention of passers-by one day in one of the largest seaports of Japan. Some said he was an Aino, pointing to his long hair and beard, and that he was a bear-worshiper from Nagasaki.

The old man stood on the deck of a houseboat quite as disreputable as he himself appeared, and gave an exhibition that was in every respect remarkable. He held an old brass drum, upon which he beat with several sticks, keeping time with his foot; and in obedience to this strange summons a keeping time with his foot; and in obedience to this strange summons a number of common high-backed river tortoise of various sizes crawled out of a box, and forming themselves in line, began to march, one after the other, to the slow, discordant music. Around they went in a circle, the big ones ahead, the smaller ones following on behind, and at the word of command the larger ones took their places between two boxes, and formed a living tortoise bridge, over which the small ones passed from box to box, the others then following suit, whereupon all the tortoises arranged themselves in groups, like plates about a table.

The Japanese have another tortoise, which they trainted.

The Japanese have another tortoise, which they train to perform simple tricks in the water. It is a little creature about three or four inches long, that from a life of inactivity has become covered with a long growth of green pond weed, which streams behind like hair as it swims along.

These people are also famous for their strange fish of the carp family; some are short and chubby, with eyes that protrude so far from the head that they look like telescopes or the stalked eyes of some crabs, with which the little creature can see in every directions. Others have a broad lace-like tail that hangs gracefully like a mass of lace, and appears to be divided into 3 parts; others a perfect black cross marked upon the back, which, against the deep red.

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the deep red, which is the prevailing
color, presents a magnificent appearance. Others are called the fish of the
White cross, the latter being white
against red,
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PROHIBITION IN KANSAS. No Bars or Saloons, But There ar

(New York Sun:) Every day I see paragraphs in Kansas newspapers ask-ing: "Why not submit the prohibition law to Kansas again?"

I think this law will be submitted again, but it will be defeated. The brains of Kansas are satisfied that pro-

"No other way?" asked the excited Missourian.
"No. No prescription, no whisky; and I'm sorry to say that our physician is now in Topeka."
"And no possible way to get a drink?"
"Well, yes," said the druggist. "In case of snake bite we can give whisky to save a man's life."
"Do you know where I can find a snake?" gasped the sufferer.
"They say Jim Smith caught one in "Do you know where I can find a snake?" gasped the sufferer.
"They say Jim Smith caught one in the sorgum patch yesterday."
"I'll be back in a minute!" said the man, rushing out of the door. A hour two hours afterwark he came hustling back, exclaiming, "Got it! Snake bit me! Gim'me the whisky!"

whisky!"
"But what delayed you so long!"
asked the druggist.
"Court in session, and four judges,
fifteen lawyers and thirty-six jurymen waiting for that snake!"

Then He Fled.

Then He Fied.

(Chicago Post:) The man with the vapid smile chuckled.

"Such a good joke," he said.

"Yes?" returned the man with the heavy walking stick interrogatively, at the same time taking a firmer hold of the stick.

"Oh, yes," said the man with the vapid smile confidently; "best joka you ever heard. "I'm going to sell it to a comic paper for \$5."

"It'il be a whale of a joke if you do," answered the man with the heavy walking stick.

"Well, it is," asserted the man with the vapid smile. "It's absolutely new and orginal, too. You see, it occurs to me that, in view of the fact that members of Congress get mileage and also an allowance for their letter paper and envelopes, they receive—"

"Yes?"

There was a menacing swing to the heavy walking stick that the save walking stick the sav

heavy walking stick that the man with the vapid smile did not fall to notice "They receive," he repeated, moving a little farther away, "both traveling and stationary expenses." Then he fled, and wisely, too.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES Los Angeles, Jan. 5, 1897.
HIGH-PRICED STOCK. Probably
the highest-priced stock in the world is
that of the London water company,
the New River Company, one share of
which recently was sold by auction for
\$255.000. At this wife, it wilds a para-8825,000. At this price it yields a revenue of 2 1-16 per cent. Shares in the company were once to be purchased at less than \$1500, now they are usually disposed of in twentieths, or even hundred.

WITHDRAWING BANK DEPOSITS.
At one of the meetings of the American Economic Association in Baltimore last week, the subject of investments was taken up, ex-Secretary of the Treasury Charles S. Fairchild leading the discussion. Mr. Fairchild quoted statistics showing the amount of money held by the savings institutions, and called attention to the fact that m veriods of depression and panies the called attention to the fact that m veriods of depression and panics the withdrawal of this money from the banks was a menace to the business community. He thought, therefore, that greater permanency should be given to investments of savings, and asserted that in his opinion building associations permitted the withdrawal of moneys invested with them upon too short notice from the investors.

THE HAMBURG EXPOSITION. The Times has on several occasions referred in this column to the coming Hamburg Exposition, which will open in May. and continue for five months. As The Times has shown, this exposition will offer an exceptional opportunity to California fruit-growers to advertise their wares. The consumption of California dried fruits has made considerable headway of late in Hamburg and other German cities, and with such a showing as might easily be made at the exposition, there is no doubt that the consumption of California fruits might be immensely increased. The State Board of Trade has issued a circular in regard to the exposition, calling on the counties of the State to contribute from \$50 to \$250 each from their advertising funds to pay the expenses of sending a first-class exhibit to Hamburg in charge of a competent man. The amount needed is a reasonable one, and there should be no difficulty about raising it. Southern California needs no further proof than it has already had of the advantages of legitimate advertising. Times has shown, this exposition

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

THE MINING BUREAU. There is said to be a movement among some the Assemblymen at Sacramento, the so-called "grange" element, to move for the abolition of the State Mining Bureau, among other State institutions, on the plea that "the State Mining Bureau is for the benefit only of the rich men who are assisted in the sale of mining properties by the recommenda-tions of the State Mineralogist." This tions of the State Mineralogist." This is a very absurd claim. There is probably no other State institution which accomplishes so much work with so little money as the State Mining Bureau. The employés of the bureau are, as a rule, hard working, conscientious men, whose pay is far below what they would receive in private positions. Prof. Watts, whom our citizens learned to admire and respect when he was stationed here for the purpose of investigating the petroleum deposits, is a good example of the class of scientists who are attached to the Mining Bureau, that is to say, whenever there is sufficient work on hand to employ such men regularly. men regularly.

The idea that the State Bureau is the benefit of the

simply working for the benefit of the rich is one that could only have originated in the mind of a Populist agitator. There is no branch of industry that gives employment to so many mer in proportion to the annual output, as that of mining. In the case of silver mining, for every dollar's worth of sil-ver extracted at least \$2 has been paid out in wages, and even in gold mining, when one reckons the number of mines

when one reckons the number of mines that have not paid expenses, it is doubtful whether the output of gold is more than the amount that has been paid in wages to prospectors, mining men, teamsters and others.

Just at present, when there is every prospect that California will be the scene of the greatest activity in mining that has been witnessed for forty years past, it would indeed be a very foolish step to consider the abolition of the Mining Bureau, which, as stated, is conducted on a very economical basis.

THE NEEDS OF THE STATE. Gov. Budd contributes a sensible article to the New Year's Examiner on the needs of the State in 1897. Mr. Budd very properly observes that we cannot grow and prosper by merely recounting our great natural resources. He sums up the following as a few of our needs:

(1.) A system of graded macadamized roads, which can readily be had in a

the following as a few of our needs:

(1.) A system of graded macadamized roads, which can readily be had in a few years at no more cost than the expense of maintaining our present disgraceful highways.

(2.) More economical methods of local government, along with lower taxation and greater efficiency.

(3.) A cheap and competitive system of transporotation, by which extortion and monopoly oppression will be obviated and resources brought within the law of natural development.

(4.) A simpler and more exepditious method of legal process, which will discourage rather than encourage litigation and do away with much of the delay and expense of administratering justice.

(5.) Improvement of the public service by purifying political and extravagance.

(6.) An equitable system of assessing taxes which will not favor land monopolits at the expense of the home-builder.

(7.) A subdivision of the great land

monopolists at the home-builder. (7.) A subdivision of the great land (7.) A subdivision of the great land

(a) A subdivision of the great land tracts now held for speculative purposes, and which retard development by discouraging settlement.

(8.) A more systematic and economical method of farming by which all possible utilities can be made available and outlays reduced.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS. Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily.

Local markets continue generally steady at Eggs.

Eggs-California ranch, 21623; eastern, 18 Fresh Ments. Butchers' prices for wholesale carcases: Beef—Prime, 56514654. Veal—567.

Veal—507. Mutton—4½65; lambs, 566. Dressed Hogs—5½66. Dried Products.

Beans—Lady Washington, 1.70@1.80; navy, 1.80@2.00; plnks, 1.60@1.75; Limas, 2.50@2.75; black-eyed, 1.50@2.00; peas, 2.50@3.00.

Cheese, Local Jarge, 11: Young America

Cheese-Local, large, 11; Young America, 42; hand cheese, 13. Provisions. Hams-Per lb., Rex. 11%; picnic, 5½; bone-less, 8; boneless butts, 7; selected "mild ture," 8%; selected boiled Rex, 13½; skinned,

Dry Salted Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 7; thort clears, 6½; clear backs, 5½. Dried Beef—Sets, 10%; insides and knuckles, 12%; outsides, 8. Dried Beef-Sets, 10%, inches 12%; outsides, 8,00.

Pickled Pork—Per half bbl., 80 lbs., 8,00.

Bacon—Rex breakfast bacon, 3%; Diamond C, special fancy wrapped, 12; Diamond C, blain wrapped, 11%; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 7; medium, 6%; bacon bellies, wide rendered, 5%; Ivory lard compound, 5%; revolene, 5%; white Label lard, tlerces, 5%;

Green Fruits.

Extra fancy Eureka and Lisbon, uncured, fancy, 1.25; limes, 50.

Seedlings, 1.00@1.50; navels, 1.75@ .50.
Pears-Winter Nellis, 1.75@2.00.
Apples-Per box, 1.25; fancy, 1.50@1.75; astern in barrels, 3.00@3.50.
Bananas-2.00@2.50.
Strawberries-10@12.
Cranberries-1.50@2.00.

Dried Fruits Apples—Evaporated, 6\\(^1_4\)\(^2_8\)\(^3_8\). Apricots—9\(^1_2\)\(^3_8\)\(^3_6\)\)\(^3_6\)\(^

Butter-Local creamery, 40; fancy Coast, 40; dairy, 2-lb, squares, 32½637½; light-weight squares, 27½670; fair to good, 25927; creamery, in tubs, 18649.

Bran-Per ton, local, 18.00; northern, 18.06. Shorts-Per ton, 20.00. Rolled Barley-Per ton, 17.00. Flour.

Flour—Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.20 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.20; northern, 5.35; full superfine, 4.50; eastern, 6.25; Washington, 3.75; Rolled Oats—Per bbl., 4.75@5.00.
Cracked Wheat—2.00.
Cornmeal—1.60.

Hay. Hay—Best barley, 8.00@10.00; best oat, 10.00 \$11.00; alfalfa, baled, 6.00@8.00; wheat and oat, 9.00@11.00.

Live Stock. Live Stock.

Hags—Per cwt., 3.25@3.37½.

Beef Cattle—2.50@3.00.

Lambs—Per head, 1.50@1.75.

Sheep—Per cwt., 1.75@2.50.

Poultry.

Hens-3.50@4.25; young roosters, 3.25@4.00; ld roosters, 3.50; broilers, 2.50@3.00; ducks, d roosters, 50@5.50. Turkeys—Live, 14@15. Vegetables.

Squash-1.50.

Squash—1.60, Beans—5.
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Cabbage—Per 100 lbs., 90@1.00.
Chiles—Dry, per string, 95@715; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 6.
Garlic—2%, Onions—Yellow, 1.00@1.25;
Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 80@85 per sack; sweet, 1.00; northern, 1.00@1.25;
Early Rose, 1.00@1.10; Salinas, 1.00@1.10.
Turnips—Per sack; 3.
Turnips—Fer sack; 5.
Tomatoes—90@1.00.
Radishes—16.
Rhubarb—1.00.
Lettuce—15.

Hides and Wool. Hides-As they run, 11; kip, 9; calf, 141/2; ulls, 6. Wool—214@414. Tallow—114@234.

Honey and Beeswax. Honey—Extracted, new, 5@6; white, 54@6. Beeswax—Per lb., 20@22.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money. Shares and Money.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Business in stocks was again today of very slender proportions with an irregular movement, and the market frequently bordered on stagnation. In the forencon session lower prices were current on moderate pressure against the specialities. The closes scored were not extensive, however, the traders, partly on account of the lack of cessure of long stock, were indisposed to commit themselves to any important extent of commit themselves to any important extent of commit themselves to any important extent of the lack of commit themselves to any important extent of the lack of committees on the crading the committees on the crading the committees of the lack o (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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New York Money. New York Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Money on call easy at 1½@2½ per cent.; last loan, 2; closed, 1½ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½ per cent.; sterling exchange steady with accual business in bankers' bills at 4.86½ for 8.6½ for demand and 4.83½@4.83½ for ixty days; posted rates, 4.4%4.84½ and 4.87@. 87½; commercial bills, 4.82½; bar silver, 4.8½; silver certificates, 6½@65½.

London Finnncial Market,

NEW YORK Jan. 5.—The Frances Post.

London Finnncial Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says: "The stock markets—were lower today, consols leading the decline. The reasons were close to the decline. The reasons were to the absence of public support and fears to dearer money. I cabled you in December that early January would probably show a fictituous ease in the money market. Now that all the money is very plentiful, following the release of government dividends, the decline in the discount rates is perceived to be overdone. Americans were easier. The continued bank failures in the United States are deterring purchasers here, though not causing a pressure to sell. Argentines were the only firm market, but at the close most prices were above the lowest. Gold was bought today for Russia and Japan. The Paris bourse was firm and the Berlin market quiet. A further decline in money is rumored from Berlin. The Bank of Germany rate may go to 4½ in a few days."

Available Supplies.

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Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's covering the principal points of accumulation indicate the following changes in the available supplies of grain lest Saturday as compared with the preceding Saturday. Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains, increase 271,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decrease 1,236,000 bushels total decrease in the world's available supply, 95,000 bushels. Corn. United, States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains, increase 1,310,000 bushels. Corn. United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains, increase 1,310,000 bushels. States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains, decrease 202,000 bushels. Stocks of wheat on the Pacific Coast, decreased during the month of December, 2,359,000 bushels.

Treasury Statement, WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Today's statemen of the condition of the treasury shows Available cash balance, \$230,542,134; gold reserve, \$128,119,611.

London Silver.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Silver, 29%d; consols,

Bacon-Rex breakfast bacon, 9%; Diamond C. special fancy wrapped, 11%; Diamond C. breakfast bacon, 7; medium, 6%; Diamond C. breakfast backs, 7; medium, 6%; bacon bellies, wide blees, 7; medium, 6%; bacon bellies, 8%; bacon

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grais and Produce.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Wheat lost ½ today.
Foreign markets were weak and a renewal of the selling characteristic of yesterday's selling were the factors. The market was dull and without noteworthy change in value. May opened at from 83% to 84, or about where it left off yesterday, after an hour's trading on a rather limited amount of business. May got down to 83% Liverpool was only ½6%d lower at the opening, or from ½ to 1 cent per centel decline as compared with the one cent per bushel drop here yesterday. Receipts, at Chicago, were 57 cars against 166 on the similar day of the year before. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 148 cars compared with 314 a week ago and 414 on the corresponding day of the year before. Troman's report claimed that the stocks of wheat in farmers' hands and the visible are now \$5,000,000 bushels less than at this time last year and that should we export for the next six months only the same as we did the six months of last year, we will have only 35,000,000 bushels left in both the visible and the invisible supply statement was due, the price had recovered to 83%. The heart of the price had recovered to 83%. The heart of the price had recovered to 83%. The heart of the price and forty boatloads of wheat sold there for export today and late yesterday, which helped to steady the market at the close, the price of May recovering to 83% grays. Trade was very small and fluctuations fractional. Trading in oats was a trifle more active than in corn, but was almost entirely dependent on wheat for the feeling displayed. Provisions were dull until near the end of the session when a little life was infused into the trade by some packers.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2— Grain and Produce. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

Receipts, Shipments.

8,000 5,000
47,000 36,000
254,000 54,000
445,000 225,000
17,000
650,000 270,000 Nye. 17,000
Barley. 550,000 270,000
On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery. 15@19; dairy, 9@15. Eggs were firm; fresh, 175.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO. Jan. 5.—Cattle—Sales were on a basis of 3.55£4.00 for a few common dressed beef steers, up to 5.09£3.30 for choice to prime shipping cattle, the bulk of the caltle crossing the scales at 4.25£4.50; cows, 2.25£3.50; choice helfers. 3.50£4.15; bulls, 2.25£3.75; stags, 2.5£4.00; oxen. 2.25£3.15; prime veal calves, 6.00. Hogs—Sales were at 3.05£3.55 for common to choice lots, with the bulk of the trading at 3.25£3.45. Sheep—The supply was readily taken at 2.25£3.75 for common to choice sheep. Westerns selling at 3.25£3.75; varlings sold at 3.50£4.35 and 3.50£3.55 for common to prime flocks. Fancy native sheep were scarce and mostly nominal at 3.50£4.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 400; hogs, 14,000; sheep, 6000. Chicago Live Stock Market.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Jan, 5.—Although the sales of wool during the past week here have induced a rather weak feeling, yet dealers are showing considerable confidence. Territory wools are slow in demand, while prices are holding steady. General, sales of fine medium and fine whools range on the scoured basis of 20 to 32 cents, but for choice staple lines, 34@35 cents continued to be quoted. There is little doing in fleece wools. Australian wool is quiet, there is little doing in fleece wools. Australian wool is quiet, there is fittle business doing on about the basis of former sales. Quotations: Territory wools: Montana, fine medium and fine. 34@31, scoured price, 30@32; staple wool, 34@35, scoured price, 30@32; staple wool, 34@35, scoured price, 30@32; staple, 34@35, scoured price, 30@32; staple, 34@35, scoured price, 30@32; Australian wools: Northern soung, spring, 36@35, and 34@35; combing, spod. 42@45; combing, sperfage, 39@41, Queenland combing, 42@45.

Liverpool Grain. Boston Wool Market.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—Spot wheat closed firm with a moderate demand; No. 2 red spring, nominal; No. 1 California, 7s 2½d. Futures closed easy with near and distant positions 1d lower. January, 6s 10½d; February, 6s 11½d; March. 7s ½d. May, 7s ½d. Spot corn closed firm; American mixed new, 2s 10½d. Futures closed quiet, with near and distant positions unchanged to ½lower, and distant positions unchanged to ½lower, 2s 10½d; April and May, 2s 10½d. Flour closed firm with a poor demand; St. Louis fancy winter, 9s 3d.

Kansans City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY (Mo.,) Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; shipments, 1800. The market was strong to 10 cents higher. Metrosteers, 2.50@5.00; native cows and helfers, 1.60@3.45; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.00; bulls, 2.25@3.20.

Petroleum. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Petroleum was nomi-nal. Pennsylvania crude was steady. Jan-uary closed 90 cents.

Boston Stock Market. BOSTON, Jan. 5.—Atchison, 14: Bell Tele-hone, 2061; Burlington, 70%; Mexican Cenphone. 206%; Bulling... tral, 7%. London Hop Market. LONDON, Jan. 5.—Pacific Coast hop.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Plour—Pamily
extras, 5.1045.25; bakers' extras, 4.8045.00;
usperfine, 4.2544.50.
Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.53%; choice, 1.55;
milling, 1.604.65.
Barley—Feed, fair to good, 80485; choice,
1.75; brewing, 956974.
1.00; milling, 1.2541.25; black for teed, 1.604.
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bran, 13.00413.50; outside brands of bran,
12.00. Middings—Per ton, 18,30021.00; California bran, 12,000; 1350; outside brands of bran, 12,00. Hay—Wheat, 8,0001.50; wheat and oat, 7,00 ftl.50; oat, 6,0008.00; river barley, 5,0006.50; clover, 6,0008.00; stock, 5,0006.00; compressed wheat, 6,00073.50; compressed states and the states of t

American, 11@12½; eastern, 13@11½; western, 12@12½; Eggs_Ranch, 25@31; store, 25@27; duck eggs, 25. Poultry-Live turkey gobblers, 15@16; hens. 15@16; roosters, old. 4.00@4.50; young, 5.00@4.50; fryers, 4.00@4.50; hens. 4.00@5.50; ducks-old. 5.00@6.00; young, 5.00@6.00; geese, 1.50@4.50; hens. 4.00@5.50; ducks-old. 5.00@6.00; young, 5.00@6.00; geese, 1.50@1.75; piscons, old. 1.00@1.25; piscons, young, 1.00@1.25; Ganus—Canvasback ducks, 3.00@5.00; Mal-Ganus—Canvasback ducks, 3.00@5.00; Mal-

1.00g1.23, Ganes-Canvasback ducks, 3.00g5.00; Mallard, 3.50; teal, 1.50; sprig, 2.50; widgeons, 1.50; small duck, 1.25; quall, 1.25; hare, per dez., 1.00; gray geese, 3.00; rabbits, 1.00g1.50; white geese, 1.00; brant, 1.50; Eriglish anipe, 2.50; common suipe, 1.20g1.50; honkers, 4.50

\$250,000 **Given Away** DURHAM this year in valuable Blackwell's Smoking Tobacco

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517; straw, tons, 23; wool, bales, 24; Oregon 3; hides, number, 379; raisins, boxes, 2530 µulcksilver, flasks, 85; wine, gallons, 38,60 prandy, gallons, 2450; alfalfa seed, Nevada acks, 144. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Wheat steady; May. 1.58% bid. Barley inactive; May, 91%; Corn. large yellow, 80@82½. California bran, 13.00@13.50.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Beans—Pink, 1:10@1:20; lima, 1:75@1:20; small white, 1:20@1:25; large white, 1:15@1:25.

Drafts and Silver. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Silver bars, 64%; Mexican dollars, 52@52½; drafts—sight, 12½; telegraph, 15.

MARINE NEWS. Notice to Ship Captains.

U. S. Branch Hydrographic Office, SAN FRANCISCO (Cal.,) Dec. 28, 1896. The following forecast, of interest to mar ners, has been received from the Hydro graphic Office, Washington, D. C.: The trade-wind limits will be found a little farther south than in the previous month. Between the parallels of 35 deg. N. and 50

Between the parallels of 35 deg. N. and 50 deg. N., and from the American to the Asiatic coast, frequent squalls and gales accompanied by rain or snow may be expected. Occasional squalls may be expected in the vicinity of the Philippine and Hawaiian Islands, and in the region of the doldrums. Occasional fog will be found along the American coast during January though not sufficient to warrant its probable limits being shown on the chart. Occasional spiral circulations, viz., the cyclonic (against the sun.) with low harometer, and anticyclonic with the sun.) with ligh barometer, will be found. Generally in front of the cyclonic area, or the low, peaching and barometer falling, while left the sun, with anticyclonic circulations, while it is dry, cooler, and the barometer rises. The "average storm trate traced on the chart shows the average parallel to the centers of these lows. The N.E. monsoon on the coast of Asia Trychorus are infrequent during January.

will continue to blow steadily during January.

Typhoons are infrequent during January.

Currents—The currents indicated on the present issue of the first of the terms of the winter of the winter of the terms of the terms of the winter of the terms of the terms

Notice to Mariners.

The Noonday Rock Bell Buoy, which recently parted its moorings and went adrift, has been replaced in its old position—600 yards southwest by south from the rock. By order of the light-house board. FRANK CURTIS, Commander, U.S.N.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, Jan. 5, 1897. (Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.) Frank A Gibson, trustee, to Addie Luney, lot 2 of Grider & Dow's Central-avenue tract,

320. Chiefe Eaton et ux to J H G Lampadius, lots 19. 20 and 21 of Eaton's subdivision of block 3 and part of block 4 of the Woolen Mills tract, \$3000.

R Henry C Green et ux to Charles A Ford, lot 47 of Grider & Dow's Orangedale tract, \$500. lot 47 of Grider & Dow's Orangedale tract, \$500.

Sarah C Hinckley to Richard Green, lot 11 of the Colima Park tract, \$2000.

M A Powell et ux to Laura M Nadeau, lots 18 40 24 in block E: 13 to 22 in block F, 3 to 8 in block H, 17 to 24 in block H, 1 to 9 in block K, Nadeau Vineyard tract, \$1500.

Nicholas Ziegler et ux to John Mcharg, lot 11, block 82, Long Beach, \$200.

Long Beach Land and Water Company to W L Cuthbert, lots 1 and 3 in block 101, town of Long Beach Land and Water Company to W L Cuthbert, lots 1 and 3 in block 101, town of Long Beach Land and Water Company to the Fortman tract, \$200.

M M Levering to Harry Chandler, lot 20 of the Fortman tract, \$750.

Frank A Gibson, trustee, to Andrey J Mitchell, lot 194 of Grider & Dow's subdivision of the Briswalter tract, \$300.

Joseph Cutler et ux to Thomas Henry Brown, lot 250 and 12.19 acres in lot 249 of the Lankershim Ranch Land and Water Company's subdivision in the Rancho ex-Mission (31-39, \$1500.

SUMMARY. TO SEE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Los Angeles Lighting Company will be held at the company's office, No. 457 South Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 20th inst., at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary. Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 6, 1897. holders.



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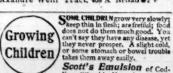
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W. R. BLACKMAN, Secretary, Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 6, 1897.

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Lv 2:05, 8:50 p.m. Ar 7:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m.

Portland, Or.—Lv 8:50 p.m. Ar 7:30 a.m.

El Paso and East—Lv 8:15 a.m. Ar 8:20 p.m.

Riverside, Redlands, San Bernardino—Lv
8:00, 8:15 a.m., *2:25, 4:25 p.m. Ar 10:00

a.m., *12:35, 4:50, 8:20 p.m.

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5:25 p.m. Ar 8:47, 10:00 a.m., *2:25, 4:50,
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Cars for Echo Mountain and Alpine Tavern leave Los Angeles via Pasadena and Los Angeles Electric Railway as follows:

9:00 a.m. 10:40 a.m. 3:00 p.m.

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a.m., 5:20 p.m.

Long Beach—Lv 9:00 a.m., 1:40, 5:05 p.m. Ar

8:12, 11:55 a.m., 5:15 p.m.

San Pedro—Lv 9:00 a.m., 1:40, 5:05 p.m. Ar

8:12, 11:55 a.m., 5:15 p.m.

Santa Monica—Lv 9:00 a.m., 1:35, 5:15 p.m.

Ar 8:15 a.m., 12:07, 5:10 p.m.

Soldiers' Home—Lv 9:00 a.m., 6:15 p.m. Ar

12:07, 5:10 p.m.

Port Los Angeles—Lv 9:00 a.m., 1:35 p.m. Ar

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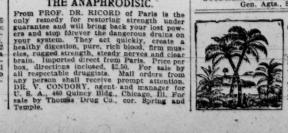
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House Ransacked by Thieves-As sets of the Tournament Associa-tion Will Cover All Linbilities. California Street Brought Up to

PASADENA, Jan. 5.—(Regular Cor-respondence.) The persistent effort made to secure from the city the ac-ceptance of the Linda Vista Bridge is viewed with disapproval by those tax-payers and property-owners familiar with the circumstances. The bridge is not within the jurisdiction of the city, one end of it only being within the city limits. The city has been importuned for years to accept the dedication of the bridge; and every Council has refused to do so, on the ground that it is not a bridge for general traffic, and that it has not a bridge for general traffic, and that its importance to the city's com-merce is infinitesimal. After the first merce is infinitesimal. After the first cost of removing the old timbers of the present bridge and replacing them in a new site, the furnishing of sufficient material for the building of the new bridge would be only a very small part of the cost of maintaining the structure. After all, it would be a patchedup affair, needing, even under the most favorable circumstances, a certain amount of care, and the taxes for this purpose would be raised inside the city-limits and would be pald by people whom the bridge would not in the least benefit, according to the statement of the City Attorney. The same authority declares that it is doubtful whether the city has the power to authorize any expense whatever for the purpose proposed.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The Degree of Honor held a public installation in Knights of Pythias Hall Monday evening. The officers installed were Mrs. John Allin, past chief of honor; Miss Maud Toms, chief of ceremonies; Mrs. Lutie Ryan, chief of honor; Miss Maud Toms, chief of ceremonies; Mrs. Dickie, lady of honor; Miss Carrie Ransome, financier: Mrs. Hannah Sandeman, treasurer: Mrs. Laura Porter, recorder; Mrs. John Green, usher; Mrs. Mary E. Shaw, inside watch; Mrs. Sam Porter, outside watch.

Rev. Dr. Wyllis A. Hall, rector of All Saints' Church, has tendered his resignation to the vestrymen. Dr. Hall and his family are greatly beloved here, but Mrs. Hall's death, the marriage and going away of a daughter, and the absence of a son have somewhat broken up his family life here, and have been among the determining causes.

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Mrs. Lugo, charged with petty lar²
ceny, was today sentenced to sixty days
in the County Jail for the crime, and
it is thought will fare better there than
in her own wretched home. She leaves
two babies to be cared for as best they
may by her husband, who is an old
Mexican.

Mexican.

The residence of Will E. Chapin on North Los Robles avenue was entered by thleves today. in the absence of the family, the front door being pried open with a jimmy. The house was ransacked, but the thleves were frightened away and only a few articles were taken.

The directors of the Tournament Association held a meeting Monday night to audit some of their bills and estimate ways and means. They found that the assets of the association will cover all liabilities.

cover all liabilities.

The railway tracks on California street have been filled with earth, and age now on the grade level of the street, to the great convenience of people who travel on that thoroughfare in vehicles. Mrs. Graham, the mother of J. D. Graham, supervising principal of the public schools, has arrived here from Ontarlo, Can., and will be the guest of her son during the winter.

Mrs. C. R. Hiller is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. Marx of Cypress ave-nue, and will make an extended visit

Judge and Mrs. O. S. Picher left Pas-adena on Monday for Joplin, Mo., where they will remain during the win-

Miss Jessie Cook and the Misses Ayers have returned to Pomona College to continue their studies. Horace Dobbins is making a visit to San Diego, and will be absent for several days. Horace Dobbins is making a visit to San Diego, and will be absent for several days.

Mrs. Leo Foster and son of Oakland are guests at Hotel Green.

THE MIDWINTER TIMES.

The Midwinter special edition of The Times has had a large sale in Pasadena, the perop of the Times to advice the thing has a large sale in Pasadena, the perop of the Times to advice the time of the work on the game mine, the sum of the standard provided the part of the time to advice the time of the time is an advantages of Southern California, and Pasadena in particular. There is no more effective way to spread abroad the fair name of Pasadena than to send copies of this magnificent edition to, eastern friends and relatives. All copies for this magnificent edition to, eastern friends and relatives. All copies for this magnificent edition of the Standard than to send copies of this magnificent edition of the Standard than to send copies of this magnificent edition of the Standard than to send copies for sale hereafter will contain a complete illustrated description of the Tournament of Roses, which has been incorporated in the latest edition of the Standard than to send copies, ready for malling, may be obtained at the Pasadena office, No. 47 East Colorado street, for 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents, 6 for 50 cents, 13 for 31. Regular postage is 3 cents per copy; If mailed by The Times, 1 cent per copy. Bring plainly-writen lists of parties to whom you wish the "special" without any decrease in its size of martles to whom you wish the "special" without any decrease in its size of her per copy. Bring plainly-writen lists of parties to whom you wish the "special" sent, and the local office will address the papers without extra charge.

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The wonderful discovery for catarrh, lung disease and rheumatism made by Dr. Huff, Masonic Temple, Pasadena, is working wonders with all patients whom he is treating. Consultation free.

E. L. Molone, 181 South Catalina avenue, Pasadena, has gained 22 pounds under Dr. Huff's new treatment.

POMONA.

POMONA, Jan. 5:—(Regular Correspondence.) The Woman's Relief Corps has the following newly-elected officers for the ensuing year; Mrs. Rosa Hughey, president; Mrs. Hyde, first vice-president; Mrs. Jane Brown, treasurer; Mrs. B. F. Ransford, chaplain, and Mrs. Burbank, guard. There will be a Joint installation of officers in Vicksburg Post, No. Cl. G.A.R., and the Relief Corps next Saturday evening in McComas Hall.

It is said that two more new liouses

few days, and gradually growing weaker.

Mmes. N. E. Strong, A. A. Dudley and Frank Reynes will entertain Thursday evening at the Episcopal Guild Hall with the first of their fort-

Guild Hall with the first of their fortnightly suppers and social entertainments after the holidays.

The Pomona minstrels are preparing
for a performance on the right of
Washington's birthday and the night
following. It is a home talent club.

The proprietors of the fruit-packing
and shipping houses in this city say
that there were never so many applications for work or jobs as there
are now.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

THE DESERT TALKS OF A NEW COUNTY DIVISION.

Barstow Grows Ambitious to Be County Sent-Supervisors Order Hobos to Be Worked Eight Hours-Novel Contest with Rifles. Al Wright's Story.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 5 .- (Regsan Bernardino, Jan. s.—(Reg-ular Correspondence.) Constable Asa Green is in town from Barstow and brings the story that the inhabitants of the desert are beginning to talk seriously of creating a new county composed of the desert. From what he says, coupled with past rumors, it is the intention of the desert people to ask that a county be composed of the northeast corner of Los Angeles county, including Lancaster and the Antelope

ment on which to base a county government.

It is not proposed to bring the matter before the Legislature this year, but to begin a systematic agitation for the purpose of creating sentiment in favor of the new move, with a view of going before the Legislature two years hence, asking for the division.

Supervisor T. J. West was seen by the Times correspondent: He said that he believed the time would come when the desert would want a county of its own, but it would be nearer twenty years than two years. He said that he heard no talk of division at Needles, where he resides, and did not believe the question of division of the county need cause any immediate anxiety.

HOBOS MUST WORK.

The Supervisors of San Bernardino

The Supervisors of San Bernardino county read The Times, and when they county read The Times, and when they read that the hobos confined in the County Jail really enjoy the recreation of marching back and forth from the rock pile to the jail, and going through the formality of working for a short time, they decided to extract the fun from the exercise, and Supervisors New burg this morning offered a resolution ordering that the hobos should be required to work eight hours per day. The motion passed unanimously.

AL WRIGHT'S STORY. AL WRIGHT'S STORY.

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GERMAN ARRESTED.

Some time ago Joseph German of the Etiwanda winery, shot at a tramp who had raided the place, and hit Goyernment Gauger Bell of Los Angeles, producing a wound which made it necessary to amputate his arm. The grand jury yesterday filed a secret indictment against him on the charge of assault to murder. A bench warrant was issued for him, with bail fixed at \$2000. He was brought in this (Tuesday) afternoon.

HEAVY DELINQUENT TAXES.

The Trustees of the city met this (Tuesday) evening, and they will probably make a further extension of time for the payment of city taxes. One extension of time has already been for the payment of city taxes. One extension of time has already been made, but there still remains unpaid about one-third of the taxes assessed this year. The principal cause of this condition of affairs is believed to be the heavy reductions in the force of men employed at the Santa Fé shops last summer and fall. The wooking men being thus cut off from an income were unable to pay taxes on their property, and those dependent on them for business also suffered. The shops are now running a full quota of men, however, and conditions are improving.

PRENDERVILLE'S PARDO N.

PRENDERVILLE'S PARDY N.

The county officers are working for the release of Thomas Prenderville, the railroad striker who ran away when a warrant was out for him, and who eventually returned and surrendered himself. The county officers have all signed a petition to the President for his pardon, setting forth the cause of his arrest and imprisonment, and that he has a wife and children in need of his help.

SAN BERNARDING PREVIOUS

Installation - County Appointments - William Step Charged with Murderops Assault on Frank Knight.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 5.—(Regular Correspondence.) In his annual report, Horticultural Commissioner T. N. Snow notes with satisfaction the work of the ladybirds in destroying the scale pests of the olive orchards of this county, and he cites two striking instances where the Rhizobii have thoroughly cleaned badly-infected trees. He says: "The pests of this district have been under control, chiefly of the various ladybirds introduced from Australia. Hon. Ellwood Cooper's olive orchards continue free of scale, and his crop is large. The olive orchards of Peveril Meigs, on the mesa, are free from scale and he has gathered his Peveril Meigs, on the mesa, are free from scale and he has gathered his olives by the ton this year, while one year ago the crop was not worth picking. The same is true of other olive orchards. These have been cleaned entirely by the Rhizobii, colonized two years ago. In closing the year 1896, I can assure your honorable board that the condition of the fruit industry of this county has not retrograded during the year by the pests that invariably attend fruit-growing, but the interest manifested by the fruit-raiser is on the increase, and we may congratulate ourselves that the people are on the road of progress. The season is now at hand for the shipment of nursery stock, and great care must be given to prevent the introduction of infected trees and plants, all of which will be rigidly watched."

In speaking of other crops, Mr. Snow says in his report: "The crop of deciduous fruits has been the smallest in many years, on account of the great lack of moisture; the quality suffered for the same reason. The walnut crop was fairly large; the nuts were good, but a little under the average size, and that portion handled by the Walnut Exchange amounted to 257 tons, at a value of \$30,000. The Lemon Exchange, organized in May last, has been very successful, and shows that the lemons of Santa Barbara county are as fine as those raised elsewhere."

DEDICATION OF THE Y.M.C.A.

The handsome new rooms of the

northeast corner of Los Angeles county, including Lancaster and the Antelope Valley, extending northward into Kern county, to include Mojave and the Randsburg mining district, and taking in all the desert country now in San Bernardino county.

The law requires that a new county must have a population of fully five thousand. The population of the district named is not known and is not very easily estimated, but with the new Randsburg district, it must be between three and four thousand, while there is a constant increase in the number of people on the desert.

Just what is to be gained by the people on the desert by dividing the counties does not appear in evidence, beyond finding places for a new set of county officials and booming some desert town (probably Barstow) by making a county seat of it.

The property in the new county would consist almost wholly of railroads and mines, which, though sufficient to more than pay the desert's portion of taxes, based on per capita taxation, would be an uncertain element on which to base a county government.

It is not proposed to bring the mat-

MASONIC INSTALLATION.
Grand High Priest Thomas Flint visited Corinthian Chapter, No. 51, R.A.
M., last evening, and installed the following officers: H.P., A. P. Hardy;
king, L. Richardson; S., C. C. Knight;
treasurer, J. H. Garretson; secretary,
A. B. Williams; C.H., Mark Thompson;
P.J., J. H. Burson; R.A.C., W. L. Clark;
M. third V., C. O. Garretson; M. second
V., W. N., Metcalf; M. first V., J. W.
Taggart; guard, Daniel Moyer.
COUNTY APPOINTMENTS COUNTY APPOINTMENTS.

The Supervisors have made a number of appointments, including the following: Superintendent of County Hospical, W. W. Stillwell: County Veterinarian, Dr. J. H. Hester: court interpreter , James P. Tryce; janitor at Courthouse, J. R. Janssens, all of whom are incumbents. County physicians: Santa Maria, Dr. O. P. Paulding; Lompoc, Dr. Z. W. Saunders; Los Alamos, Dr. J. Will Graham; Santa Ynex, Dr. T. E. Cunnane; Carpinteria, Dr. William Marquis. Justice of the peace, Eighth Toynship, W. R. Gwin. Pound masters: Los Olivos, N. C. Cox; Sisquoc, R. L. Jones.

For County Physician at Santa Barbara there were petitions read for five different candidates, Drs. Knox, Cunnane, Winchester, Kittredge and Boeseke. The salary for this position was increased from \$800 to \$1000 per year. Dr. Knox received the appointment.

A. B. Williams is the chairman of the The Supervisors have made a num

Coroner A. M. Ruiz held an inquest last night over the remains of Yee Sing Wong, who was found dead in his sing wong, who was found dead in mis hut in Chinatown yesterday. It was learned that death was due to natural causes, superinduced by the excessive use of oplum. Wong was 52 years old, and one of the early Chinese settlers in this city. EXTENDING THE TROLLEY LINE.

EXTENDING THE TROLLEY LINE. Work on the extension of the electric railway to the old Mission was practically commenced today. The city is grading Victoria street, on which the old mule car line extended for three blocks, and the electric company is relaying the track with heavy rails, and the trolley will be running over the road in a few weeks.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

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Washington Fire Company, No. 2, last evening elected the following officers: President, Edmund Burke; chief, John Dugan; assistant chief, C. C. Kelton; secretary. John Wiggins; treasurer, George W. Bates; foreman, D. O. Kelly; first assistant foreman, J. McDonald; second assistant foreman, Richard Jenkins. The election was followed by a banquet.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church has elected the following officers for 1897: President, Mrs. E. J. Porteous; vice-president, Mrs. Mayme Williams; recording secretary, J. G. Kennedy; corresponding secretary, Miss M. C. 18.

are to be built on the Ogic subdivision. The Pomona Dramatic Club will go to Covins Wednesday afternoon to play there in the evening.

The home of John D. Cason was brightened Sunday morning by the advent of a fine boy.

Mrs. William Benson of East Crowe avenue, who has been seriously ill for weeks, is reported worse in the past few days, and gradually growing weaker.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Wood: treasurer. Miss Jeanette Ott; junior superintendent, Mrs. Ford.

The ladies of the Unitarian Church gave a social last night at the rooms of the Women's Club, and the attendance, particularly of young people, was large. Dancing and whist were enjoyed, and erreshments were served.

C. M. Gidney and I. B. Hardy, recently effected an exchange of property. Mr. Hardy becomes the owner of the country of joyed, and refreshments were served.
C. M. Gidney and I. B. Hardy, recently effected an exchange of property. Mr. Hardy becomes the owner of Mr. Gidney's residence on Hollister avenue, and Mr. Gidney takes twelve acres in the Verona tract.
The Starr King Post and Corps, G.A. R., and McCook Camp, Sons of Veterans. held a joint installation last evening at Grand Army Hall.
Fred A. Moore, a mining man of San

Fred A. Moore, a mining man of San Francisco, formerly in the real estate business here, is in Santa Barbara on business. Miss Myrick of Los Angeles will have charge of the telegraph office to be opened at the Arlington Hotel to-morrow.

The Monterey's men were drilled this morning on the boulevard, and the evolutions were witnessed by a large crowd.

John J. Squier returned to San Francisco today to continue his studies at the Hastings Law School.

Mrs. Roop, wife of the City Superintendent of Schools, is recovering from her recent illness. The Supervisors have abolished the office of game warden.

SAN PEDRO.

Boring Bottom About Inner and Outer Harbors.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 5 .- (Regular Cor-SAN PEDRO, Jan. 5.—(Regular Correspondence.) Borings into the bottom about the mouth of the inner harbar and also about the outer harbar site are being made under direction of Randall Hunt, a civil engineer, of San Francisco. Mr. Hunt is acting as assistant engineer to the Harbor Board, having been employed by the board. The borings made thus far have been about the mouth of the inner harbor. Outside of official circles it is not known to what extent the borings will be an important factor in determining how many shall be made. Boring into the bottom, even with a considerable swell rolling, is not as difficult a matter as one might think. A large lighter is anchored at the place, the location being fixed from the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey stations about the shore. Projecting beyond the ends of the lighter, and hanging over is a high framework, from, which the boring apparatus may depend. A fouring apparatus may depend. The structed to have all trees removed on the small pipe is an action of Sam Hess to operate a saloon in the Brunswick Hotel, in the room factory on Sycamore street.

The City Attorney was instructed to draft an ordinance regulating the speed of railroad trains between Washington avenue, between Main street and the Southern Pacific Railroad and Frank Williams, a prisoner at the County Jail, who is a stantly flows through the small pipe and rushes against the bottom with great force, washing away a considerable hole. As the hole gets deeper the casing sinks into it.

The water rushing through the small pipe rushes upward and discharges from the top of the casing, carrying with it the earth washed form the bottom with the ferminance of the respondence.) Borings into the bot-tom about the mouth of the inner har-

Michael Burke Sent to More Suitable Environments.

RIVERSHDE, Jan. 5.—(Regular Correspondence.) Mike J. Burke is not happy. He was seen this morning when about to board a train for San Quentin, in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Lacey, and his countenance showed his dejection. Burke has monekeyed with the judicial buzz-saw once too ften. His last break was to "roll a drunk," from whom he took about 440. His past record was against in the race were winded to such an extent that conversation was not very animated until after the was not very animated until after the part respondence.) Mike J. Burke is not happy. He was seen this morning when about to board a train for San Quentin, in the conversation was not very animated until after the gady to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be gady to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for Landell is now ready to run the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for landell for the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for landell for the world's champlon for four blocks. The burglar will be penchant for landell for the burglar will be penchant for landell for the landell for the world's champlo too often. His last break was to "roll a drunk," from whom he took about \$40. His past record was against him, and Judge Noyes gave him the full limit of the law, ten years.

CHINESE WOMAN MISSING.

Marshal Wilson is looking for a Chinese woman wanted by H. F. Norton, Chinese inspector at San Diego. She was reported to have come to this city, which report the Marshal confirmed but she had made her way down the valley to some one of the many Chinese settlements. The United States officials are having a great deal of trouble of late with Chinese, who are pouring into this country across the line from Mexico. A great many of these Chinese come in from El Paso, Tex., and stop at these inland towns, from which points they make their way Tex., and stop at these inland towns, from which points they make their way to, the Coast. Riverside and San Bernardino are supposed to harbor a great many Chinamen who have smuggled themselves into the country. Were it not for the rivalry between the contending factions of highbinders it would be difficult for the officers to locate the newcomers, but as it is, each faction is a volunteer police force to watch the opposing faction, and many newcomers are thus revealed to the government officers.

MERITED RECOGNITION. MERITED RECOGNITION.

Supervisor A. S. White has been pre-sented with a gold-headed cane by his

ORANGE COUNTY.

EHERNCALIFORNIANEWS

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY TRUSTEES AT SANTA ANA.

Exciting Fdot Race Between a Deputy Sheriff and a Burglar. The Officer Wins-A Penchant for Lanterns - Supervisors' Closing Session-News Notes.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 5.—(Regular Correspondence.) The regular meeting of the City Trustees was held in the City Hall Monday evening and all the nembers were present. Petition of C. W. Hannah, asking per-

dission to increase the height of the resent fence in the rear of the brick ilding on the east half of lot 37, in the Birch addition, known as the Model Bakery building, and to cover the same with corrugated iron, was

Petition of W. B. Hervey and others. Petition of W. B. Hervey and others, asking the board to take the necessary steps to pave Fourth street from Spurgeon to French street, with asphaltum, was read and granted. Resolutions adopting specifications for grading, paving with asphaltum and constructing rock gutters for the block above referred to and for the one in the West End, on the same street, between West and Birch streets, were passed unanimously by the board. Following these were the resolutions declaring the intention of the board to do the work. These were also unanimously passed.

The City Clerk was instructed to begin numbering city warrants at No. 1.

dicularly from the framework, till its lower end touched bottom. A one-inch pipe is inserted in the casing and lowered till it also touches bottom. The upper end of the small pipe is attached to a hose connected with a pump operated by a donkey engine on the lighter. Water under powerful pressure constantly flows through the small pipe and rushes against the bottom with great force, washing away a considerable hole. As the hole gets deeper the casing sinks into it.

The was an exciting footrace early this afternoon between Deputy Sheriff Landell and Frank Williams, a prisoner at the County Jail, who is charged with burglarizing the old ranch house of Marco Forster at San Juan Capistrano on the night of December 16. Deputy Sheriff Landell had taken the casing sinks into it.

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The Harbor Board spent most of the day in town and went out on the Catalina to inspect the boring work. United States lighthouse supply steamer Madrono is at this port on her southern inspection trip. Commander Frank Curtis. U.S.N., inspector of the Twelfth Lighthouse policy in the device of the United States lighthouse supply steamer Madrono is at this port on her southern inspection trip. Commander Frank Curtis. U

Nash states that he is tired of the in-convenience that this petty thieving has caused him, and he asks the board to assist him in running down the thieves. He has track now of a few of the stolen signals, and some unexpected arrests are liable to be made in the near future.

near future.
THE SUPERVISORS. THE SUPERVISORS.

The Supervisors met again today in the usual place, with all members and the clerk present.

The auditing of the regular monthly bills was taken up and continued the greater part of the day until the work was comoleted.

The County Surveyor was instructed to continue the road maps down to date and James Harrison was appointed to expert the books of the county for the six months ending December 31, 1898.

The opinions of the District Attorney on the claims of C. S. McKelvey and John Christen were ordered filed.

The Auditor's balance, Treasurer's report and joint report of the chairman of the Board of Supervisors, District Attorney and County Auditor were read and ordered filed, after which the demands on the county were read, and ordered paid.

The board then adjourned to meet

ordered paid.

The board then adjourned to meet again Monday, January 18, 1897.

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as pastor of the church with which he has been associated for several years.

Co. L. N.G.C. of Santa Ana will celebrate its seventh anniversary at Armory Hall by giving a public drill, after which the members of the company and a few invited friends will be banqueted at the Brunswick Hotel by S. H. Finley, captain commanding.

Arrangements have been made for a plano recital in Santa Ana Fridavevening of this week by Miss Neally Stevens of Los Angeles. The entertainment will be given in Neill's Hall. Miss Winston's quartette will assist in the evening's programme.

Some time ago charges were preferred against John Phenniger of Anahelm of a rather serious nature, and in all probability the matter will be aired in the Superior Court in the near future.

The case of Katie I. Daner et al. Vs.

The case of Katie J. Daneri et al. vs. Domingo Oyharzabal et al., an action for partition, has been set for trial in the Superior Court of this county for January 19.

January 19.

In the case of Alameda Fuller vs.
John Taylor et al., an action brought
to quiet title, Judge Ballard today ordered that the decree as prayed for be The lumber schooner James E. Camp-bell is unloading a cargo of lumber at Newport Beach. About 700,000 feet of lumber are being docked.

Lizzie D. Williams has bought two lots in the Goodwin tract on North Main street in Santa Ana of B. G. Bal-com for \$525.

com for \$525.

A marriage license has been granted to Tom A. Deering of San Francisco and Miss Cora Lewis of Anaheim.

Midwinter Number of The Times, wrapped and ready for mailing at the Times branch office in Santa Ana.

Judge Ballard has set the case of Kate Champlin vs. Samuel Paschall for January 25.

January 25 REDLANDS.

Mr. Smiley's Work is improving the

REDLANDS, Jan. 5.—(Regular Correspondence.) Something like a year ago Albert K. Smiley bought a number of lots and it was then said that it was ago Albert R. Smiley bough: a humosi of lots and it was then said that it was his plan to open a road over them from the Y.M.C.A. building to Grant street, to make easy access to the fine grounds which he is fitting up as a park at the corner of Olive avenue and Grant street. A number of other lots have recently been purchased by him, and they would seem to indicate an extension of the projected public improvements. The lots in question are those on which J. M. Lynn has his residence and a new house, on Vine street; the house and lot of Mrs. E. C. Simons, and lot 4, block E. all in Orange Grove addition, and in line with the lots purchased a year ago. During the past year the projected park has not been neglected, but a large amount of shrubbery has been growing in nursery for its adornment eventually.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

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Co. G has built a stone-house at its range in San Timoteo Cafion.

H. W. Timmons has sold eight lots in his first addition to the town of Redlands to O. E. Wheeler for \$1200.

C. H. Hobart now wears the gold medal of the Rifle Club and J. W. Edwards sports the silver medal. wards sports the silver medal.

THE SOLID NORTH.

Nineteen States Which Gave McKin. Nincteen States Which Gave McKinley 1,000,000 Plurality.

(Bond Buyer:) The official returns of the votes of the nincteen Northern States, which gave 224 electoral votes (enough to elect) to McKinley and Hobart, show that the pluralities in those States aggregated, in round numbers, 1,600,000, or about 1,000,000 more than the plurality for the same candidates in all the States.

It is a matter of great congratula-

more than the plurality for the same candidates in all the States.

It is a matter of great congratulation that this overwhelming vote was concentrated in the States which are, indisputably, the best educated and most enlightened, the most wealthy and industrious, and the States which are honest in their conduct of elections. It is a combination not merely for political control of the nation, but for its development in education, in industry, in wealth and in fairness at the polls. It is a combination pledged and dedicated to the spread of education, to development of industries, and to the preservation of the honor of the country in its finance and its elections.

The nineteen States of the solid North, and the pluralities which they gaye McKinley and Hobert at the recent election, are tabulated as follows:

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Maryland 32,222 Vermont 40,845
Massachusetts 183,446 W Virginia 11,478
Michigan 56,076 Wisconsin 102,612
Minnesota 53,875
Total, nineteen Sautes, with 234 electoral votes
such enlightened and honest voters with such extraordinary pluralities in each of these States can overcome any obstacles to the maintenance of this solidity on great national issues, provided the new administration does its duty, as there is every assurance that it will, in developing sound money and protective tariff principles. What the solid North demands of President Mc-Kinley and his party is that the standard of money be maintained with all our creditors abroad and at home and that the workingmen of the country be protected from ruinous foreign cheap labor competition. The solid North wants neither cheap money nor cheap men. cheap men.

cheap men.

Lincoln's Horse Trade Story.

(Harper's Round Table:) Abraham
Lincoln was fond of a good story, and
it is a well-known fact that he often
illustrated an important point in the
business at hand by resorting to his
favorite pastime. Probably one of the
best he ever told he related of himself
when he was a lawyer in Illinois. One
day Lincoln and a certain judge, who
was an intimate friend of his, were
bantering each other about horses, a
favorite topic of theirs. Finally Lincoln said:

"Well, look here, Judge, I'll tell you
what I'll do. I'll make a horse trade
with you, only it must be upon these
stipulations: Neither party shall see
the other's horse until it is produced
here in the courtyard of the hotel, and
both parties must trade horses. If
either party backs out of the agreement, he does so under a forfeiture
of \$25."

"Agreed," cried the Judge, and both
he and Lincoln went in quest of their
respective animals.

A crowd gathered, anticipating some
fun, and when the Judge returned first,
the laugh was uproarious. He led, or
rather dragged, at the end of a halter,
the meanest, boniest rib-staring quadruped—blind in both eyes—that ever
pressed turf. But presently Lincoln
came along carrying over his shoulder
a carpenter's horse. Then the minth of
the crowd was furious. Lincoln solemily set his horse down, and silently
surveyed the Judge's animal with a
comical look of infinite disgust.

"Well. Judge," he finally said, "this
's the first time I ever got the worse
of it in a horse trade." Lincoln's Horse Trade Story.

some with a gold-headed cane by his many friends in recognition of his able services to the city and county while filling the position of Supervisor. The presentation speech was made by Judge J. S. Noyes. The cane bears the inscription, "Presented to A. S. White, January 4, 1897, by friends and admirers, for faithful public service."

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

S. C. Freefield has been appointed director of the Alessandro Irrigation District by the Supervisors, vice W. T. Holiday, resigned.

The County Hospital contains nineteen inmates, and its expenses last month were 487.85.

The Leon mine, seven miles southeast of Perris, is reported to be the scene of a recent strike of rich ore.

I. N. Bolcourt has bought the Bay Queen and Anna H. mines, near Perris, of Hammitt & Alton, and will set a force of men at work to develop themselved to week. Charles Bosley and Frances Anderson, both of Banning, have been litensed to wed.

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Charles Rosley and Frances Anderson, both of Banning, have been litensed to wed. The residence of F. W. Stover, at Val Verde, north of Perris, was burned Friday night with all its contents. The house was valued at \$1500, and was not insured.

pany hullding the Morena Dam, which is to form an important part of the city's \$1,500,000 water system, and that he had been promised that the dam would be built according to specificahe had been promised that the dam would be built according to specifications, and that the seam in the bedrock could not have been forseen, and would, according to promises, be repaired next spring, etc., caused, much surprise, because it followed, within a few weeks, two official reports of the City Engineer, in which he asserted that the dam was defective and indicated his distrust of Babcock. Engineer Capps now attempts to explain what he meant by his newspaper statement, which appeared so radically at variance with his official reports to the city. He now says: "The Union did not report me correctly. I did not say I was satisfied with Mr. Babcock. What I did say was that I was now satisfied with the condition of the work on the dam, but it was no fault or satisfied with the condition of the work on the dam, but it was no fault or virtue of Mr. Babcock. The big blast threw the rock above and below the dam site. I know that Babcock intended to throw the rock all into the dam site, contrary to the specifications. The contract was drawn ironciad, but Babcock never intended to live up to the specifications. He wanted a contract that would allow him to change his mind every morning, he is so fickle. It was amusing to hear Babcock. Dugan and Russell talking after the blast, each trying to lay the blame on the other, because the rock did not fall in the dam site, when ten tons more of powder would have accomplished the object. I know that it was Babthe dam site, when ten tons more of powder would have accomplished the object. I know that it was Babcock's plan to disregard the specifications, and blow all of that rock into the dam site. Now, he will be obliged to put it in by cables and troileys, as he agreed to do. I never took back anything about Babcock trying to stop the leak in the dam by stuffing the cracks with gunnysacks."

TANPAYERS NONPLUSED.

TAXPAYERS NONPLUSED. TAXPAYERS NONPLUSED.

This latest published report purporting to come from the City Engineer, leads taxpayers to think that it is about time for that official, in justice to himself, to make a third official report about the dam, which he has once officially declared to be defective, which defects have not yet, so far as known. officially declared to be defective, which defects have not yet, so far as known, been remedled further than that promises of remedly some time in the future, have been made. Some of the taxpayers are nonplused at what, on the face of it, appears to be an attempt of the City Engneer to blow hot and cold in the same breath. The belief obtains that City Engineer Capps owes the taxpayers, as well as himself, a third official report as to how matters really stand at the dam. This dam affects the interests of this city most vitally, and improper construction should not, be tolerated.

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

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At the City Board of Education meet-ing last night Superintendent Cubber-ley reported the attendance at schools during December at 2907. Funds on hand, \$24,940. He suggested that semi-annual promotions instead of annual be made in the schools. The Judiciary Committee reported against Superin-tendent Cubberley's suggestion that a separate school be established for in-corrigible and disorderly pupils.

J. Wilmer Hughes, the new Superior J. Wilmer Hughes, the new Superior Court Judge was formally installed at the Courthouse yesterday. He succeeds Judge George Puterbaugh, who turned over the keys to his successor, wishing him a happy New Year and a successful term. A large number of lawyers and officials gave the new Judge a hearty welcome to the bench.

SAN DIEGO BREVITES. SAN DIEGO BREVITIES

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The City Council discussed the crematory and garbage-scow question last
night. One man held that it was unlawful for cities to dump garbage in
the ocean, even beyond the three-mile
limit. Another Councilman thought it
necessary to advertise for bids in case
a crematory should be bought. The
City Attorney will see if the law requires bids.

quires bids.

Lawyers Trippet and Neale disavow in open court knowledge of statements in a brief to which their names were attached. which reflected on Judge Torrance, saying that the firm's name would be withdrawn from the brief of the case on appeal.

In the case of the West Coast Lumber Company vs. H. L. Story, the sheriffs of Los Angeles county, and of this county are unable to find any of defendant's property not exempt from execution, with which to satisfy a \$2500 judgment.

A sailor of the ship Sierra Ventona

judgment.

A sailor of the ship Sierra Ventona sustained considerable injury by falling into the ship's hold.

Homer S. King, treasurer of the Wells-Fargo Company, is at Coronado with his family.

with his family.

A hop will be given to the Berkeley Glee Club at the Hotel Florence tonight.

George J. Gray, aged 11, has been committed to the WhittierState School. San Juan Capistrano has shipped 130 tons of walnuts this season.

W. O. Harris has married Cora M. Cabler. NO HARM FROM FROST.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 5.—Considerable anxiety has been felt here among fruitanxiety has been felt here among fruitgrowers regarding the cold snap which
has prevailed for a week past. Every
night predictions have been made of
heavy frosts, which in some localities
have been fulfilled. But diligent inquiry fails to reveal any damage either
to oranges or the more tender lemons.
The lowest temperature in the city
was 40 deg. and white frost appeared
in exposed spots. At Chula Vista, the
foremost fruit section, the thermometer
was 42 deg; at La Mesa, 38; El Cajon,
35: Sweetwater, 43; Fanita, 35: Lakeside, 31. The weather is now warmer,
and all danger is apparently over.
FOR THE NEW RAILROAD,
SAN DIEGO, Jan. 5.—Committees of

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 5.—Committees of the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association have completed plans for an active canvassing of this city in the interest of the proposed new railroad from Ramona to Foster, to connect with the Cuyamaca Railroad at the latter point.

The road will open up the rich Santa Maria Valley and the Julian apple section, placing them in direct communication with San Diego. The cost of this road, which is twenty miles in length, is estimated at \$200,000.

The company being formed is composed of wealthy land-owners in the valley. The road will be graded at an estimated cost of \$100,000, and an effort will then be made to sell stock or bonds to complete the equipment of the road. Thus far the people of this city have received the proposition with encouragement, as it will greatly benefit the city. SAN DIEGO, Jan. 5.—Committees of

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Santa Pé depot 9:30 es leave S. ers north-i, Agt., Angeles.

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MANUFACTURERS' REDUCTION SALE.

Men's Suits.

Elegant Suits, Business Suits, Dress Suits, in the latest styles and our usual high quality. Prices cut away below the profit line. No cheap, shoddy suits, but the very best all-wool fabrics, rightly made for style and

\$10.00 Suits reduced to \$7.75; \$12.50 Suits reduced to \$9.75. \$15.00 Suits reduced to \$11.75; \$20.00 Suits reduced to \$13.75.

Men's Overcoats.

and acknowledged by competitors. Fashionably cut garments, Box Coats, Theater Coats, Dress Coats, Storm Coats, etc. Prices cut to rock bottom.

Same reductions in this department also.

Furnishings. Men's

Our Furnishing Goods Department was never better stocked than it is now. with all that a gentleman needs. And prices were never so low.

50e Neekwear reduced to 25c; 75c White Laundered Shirts reduced to 50c We start this morning,

Wednesday, January

We will inaugurate the most sweeping reductions in clothing prices ever heard of in Los Angeles. We welcome 1897 with a

PRICE-CUTTING SALE

Unparalleled in the history of the clothing trade. Our big, big store and our big stock give you New Year Greetings.

Boys' Suits.

The little men fine here all the comtort, elegance and value that their fathers and big brothers find. Suits for every size of boy; sure to fit.

\$5.00 Sults reduced to \$3.85; \$3.00 Sults reduced to\$1.85; \$4.00 Suits reduced to \$2.35, Best values on earth.

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ARIZONA NEWS.

LITIGATION AHEAD ABOUT OLD RAILROAD BONDS.

Cutting Affray in a Saloon-Florida Orange-growers Prospecting in Salt River Valley.

HORSES POISONED WITH HAY.

PETRIFIED FORESTS TO BE A GOV-ERNMENT PARK.

Baby-gauge Railroad - Government Senerosity to Yuma Indians. New Black Warrior Mining Camp Rich in Copper.

PHOENIX, Jan. 2 .- (Regular Correspondence.) There is no lack of enter-prise on the part of the candidates for Governor of Arizona. One of them sent a letter to a Prescott politician that did a letter to a rescott pointerial that date and signature, typewritten, and indicates that some strong recommendations will be forthcoming. MORE OLD BONDS.

The bonds of the dead railroads keep bobbing up. Eleven more have been heard from. They are in the sum of \$1000 each, being on the defunct Pres-cott and Arizona Central road. C. J. Hall, cashier of the Phoenix National Bank, has served notice on the Governor that he represents eleven of the bonds in question, and asks that same bonds in question, and asks that same be funded, principal and interest to date, in compliance with "An act to aid in the construction of a railroad in Yavapal county, Ariz." A good deal of litigation is ahead before the bonds

growth in the Salt River Valley. They found much to their satisfaction here, and will probably invest.

The Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix has received a reduction in coal rates from Gallup, N. M., of \$2 per ton, and good coal can now be laid down in Phoenix at \$5 per ton.

The formal opening reception of the Hotel Adams, which promises to be a social event long to be remembered, has been postponed from New Year's eve to January 15.

An electric light wire crossed the telephone line at 1 a.m., and the mischief was to pay. Flames started in several residences, but all were subdued early.

A local billiard man will probably

A PUBLIC PARK. The petrified forest south of here, one of the most unique deposits and the largest of the kind on earth, will be largest of the kind on earth, will be set aside for a government park, on the same ground as the Yellowstone Park is now held. Col. Breathitt, government land agent, has received notification to withhold the land from entry. Here are found two townships of mammoth forest trees, that have become chalcedory. Many of the trees have been blown open for the crystals frequently found inside the logs. The forest has been looked on lately by the unromantic eye of business. Within the past month the Armstrong Abrasive Company, created a mill for the purpose of crushing the chalcedory, to be manufactured into a substitute for emery wheels. This business will possibly be cut short, although useless fragments of the forest could be utilized.

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A CUTTING AFFRAY.

A watchman at the Maricopa and Phoenix depot entered a saloon near the purpose of consisting the construction of a saloon and the respect of the construction of a saloon and the respect of the construction of a saloon and the respect of the construction of th

at night, awaiting the thieves. They came at midnight, and one of them, who took chances on escape by running from a fusillade from the officers' ning from a fusiliade from the officers' revolvers, was shot through and killed. Three of his companions were arrested.

YUMA.

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The murder of old man Smith in Cochise county by Zach Taylor was found at the examination to be a most unjustifiable affair.

They tell an awful hard one on Lem Drais, ex-Sheriff of Pinal county. When assigned to a room in a first-class hotel in Chicago, the porter opened down the folding bed for him. Next morning there was no mirror in sight, but he recollected that there was one on the bottom of the folding bed. They say of him that he crawled under the bed and combed his hair there.

Tom Brown, a popular Southern Pacific engineer running out of Tucson, is dead of consumption. He contracted the disease in Arizona, an extremely unusual circumstance.

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Globe proposes to have as good fire protection as a \$600 balance on hand

apricot trees grow magnificently, and this year bore from 100 to 150 pounds of fruit each.

At Globe a water-crayon canvasser took in the people to the extent of a considerable sum. He pretended to represent the "Imperial Portrait Co.," of Phoenix, a mythical concern.

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HOLBROOK. Jan. 2—(Regular Correspondence.) A freighter's war here has resulted in the poisoning of a number of horses. Five of the animals were in the Schuster corral, and on them was wreaked the spite of the enemy of their owners. The night after three more freighting horses in the A.

M. C. I. corral were made away with in the same manner. Later another horse was killed by poisoned hay in the same manner. Rewards of \$325 are offered for the culprits. Striking teamsters are accused

A PUBLIC PARK.

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The petrifield forcet. ARIZONA MINING NEWS.

claims in Yuma county, near the La Fortuna.

The governor of the Dertoit Copper Company's engine at Morenci got out of kilter the other day and the engine "ran away." The flywheel got to going so fest that the centrifugal force was too much for the strength of the wheel and it burst. The flying pieces of the wheel demolished everything they hit, but, luckily, no one was in their paths.

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In doing assessment work on his claim, just back of the Courthouse, at Tombstone, John Rainy made a strike Saturday, which may develop into a snug fortune for its owner. The mine adjoins the Southwest, one of the T. M. and M. properties, which has produced ore running as high as \$2000 per ton, and has been worked for twelve years. To one side of this new discovery is a shaft, out of which was taken \$20,000, near the surface, from a big kidney of ore, and from all accounts the ore found hereabouts lies in pockets. The find was made in less than five feet from the surface, and is about one foot wide.

From Congress comes the news that about four hundred men are on the company's payroll; the cyanide plant is approaching completion; the roaster has a capacity of 100 tons per day; the building which covers it is 170x75 feet: talk is that a mill of eighty stamps capacity will soon be put in, in addition to the forty stamps now in operation.

Elmer Wells, formerly of Prescott. who has been in the gold mines of Australia for two years, writes that he has seen no mining country equal to that of Yayapal county.

James Shaw met with a terrible accident at Jerome a few days ago. His arm was caught on the track of which the ponderous crane is run, underneath the machine, taking it off, and leaving him hanging there by the unsevered tendons. The machine could not be moved either way without crushing the life out of him, and after a lapse of half an hour or more, he was released from his perilous position by cutting the tendons off with a pocket-knife.

At Humbug camp the gasoline engine that runs the ten-stamp mill will be started soon. Yesterday "700 gailons of oil was sent out as fuel. The engine uses about sixty gallons a day.

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